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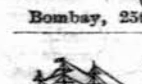
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Bombay, 2nd May 1864.

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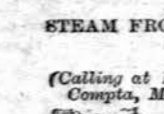
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PASSMORE & Co.,
Charterers of the Ship *Gertrude*.

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THE Bombay and Bengal Steam-ship Company (Limited) will despatch their Steamer *Nada*, Captain GEORGE MATHES, for the above Ports on or about the 28th instant. For Freight or Passage apply to STEARNS, HOBART & Co.,
Treasurers & Managers.

STEAM TO KURRACHEE AND THE PERSIAN GULF.

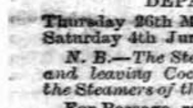


THE British India Steam Navigation Company (Limited) will despatch a Steamer to Kurrachee and the Persian Gulf, with Mails, Passengers, and Cargo, on 24th June.
W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

STEAM FROM BOMBAY TO COCHIN TWICE A MONTH.

STEAM FROM COCHIN TO BOMBAY TWICE A MONTH.

(Calling at Rutnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Karwar, Compta, Mangalore, Cannanore, and Calicut.)



THE Bombay Coast and River Steam Navigation Company (Limited) will dispatch Steamers as following to the Malabar Coast twice a Month:—

DEPARTURES FROM BOMBAY.
Saturday 28th May...TILLY ... at 6 P. M.

DEPARTURES FROM COCHIN.
Thursday 26th May ....MAHARAJ ... at 5 P. M.
Saturday 4th June.....TILLY ... at 5 P. M.

N. B.—The Steamer leaving Bombay on the 28th May and leaving Cochin on the 4th June will be the last trip the Steamers of this Company will run this fair season.

For Passage, rates of Freight, apply to the undersigned.
FULCHER, COOPER & Co.
No. 7, Rampart Row, 18th May 1864.

STEAM FROM BOMBAY TO SURAT EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

STEAM FROM SURAT TO BOMBAY EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.



THE Bombay Coast and River Steam Navigation Company (Limited) will dispatch a Steamer from Bombay to Surat every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and from Surat to Bombay every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, as follows:—

DEPARTURES FROM BOMBAY TO SURAT.
Friday 27th May ......MAHARAJ ... at 4 P. M.
Tuesday 31st „ ......JOHNSTON CASTLE.... at 5 P. M.
Friday 3rd June ......MAHARAJ ... at 6 P. M.
Tuesday 7th „ ......JOHNSTON CASTLE... at 6 P. M.

DEPARTURES FROM SURAT TO BOMBAY.
Tuesday 31st „ ......MAHARAJ ... at 1 P. M.
Friday 3rd June......JOHNSTON CASTLE... at 11 A. M.
Tuesday 7th „ ......MAHARAJ ... at 1 P. M.

For Passage, rates of Freight, &c., apply to the undersigned.
FULCHER, COOPER & Co.
No. 7, Rampart Row, 18th May 1864.

NOTICE.—Consignees per ship *Hannibal*, from Liverpool, are hereby informed that all Goods consigned to order for which boats are not alongside to take delivery as they come to hand, are being landed on, and warehoused at, the Elphinstone Bunder at the risk and cost of the concerned; and it is requested that the respective Consignees will liquidate without delay the expense incurred thereby, after which the Goods will be made over by the undersigned. W. NICOL & Co.,
Bombay, 25th May 1864. Agents ship *Hannibal*.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the ship *Earl Dalhousie*, Captain JAMES CAMPBELL, from Liverpool, is now ready to discharge her Cargo, the Consignees of which are requested to send off boats to take delivery of their goods as they come to hand, failing which the same will be landed by the Captain at their risk and expense.

Captain CAMPBELL will not be responsible for the condition of any package after it has left the ship's deck.
A. H. HUSCHKE & Co.,
Agents for the Owners and Capt. of the ship *Earl Dalhousie*.
No. 27, Meadow Street, 26th May 1864.

NOTICE.—Consignees of Cargo per British India Steam Navigation Co.'s Steamers, are requested to produce Bills of Lading, or other documents they may have, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo now lying on the Carnac Bunder.

The Company hereby give notice, that they will not hold themselves responsible for any damage the Cargo may sustain whilst on the Bunder.

A list of this Cargo may be seen by application at the Company's Office.
W. NICOL & Co.,
Bombay, 19th May 1864. Agents B. I. S. N. Co. (Ld.)

N. B.—The first rains last year caused serious damage to goods from inattention of Consignees to this notice.

HOUSES, &c., TO LET.

TO BE LET, two large ROOMS well adapted for offices. Apply to
17 Church Street. TAYLOR, RANDALL & Co.

TO BE LET.—THE OFFICE just vacated by the Comptoir D' Escompte De Paris, Military Square.
Apply to COUPLAND & Co.
1st April 1864.

TO LET, in Rampart Row, a good sized ROOM suited for a Barrister's or Broker's Office.—Apply to
LEGGATT & Co.

OFFICES TO BE LET in the building now occupied by the Comptoir D'Escompte De Paris, Military Square, from 1st of April next. Apply to COUPLAND & Co. on the premises.
Bombay, 1st March 1864.

TO BE LET, light, airy, and commodious OFFICES, very cool, and a convenient distance from the Court House, Custom House, &c. Rent moderate. Apply to "X. Y.," *Bombay Gazette*.
11th April 1864.

TO LET.—The Premises, No. 15, Rampart Row, next to the P. and O. S. N. Company's Office, and now occupied by the undersigned, to whom apply.
LEGGATT & Co.

GODOWNS TO LET.—In Forbes' Street, Fort, and near the Musjid Bunder, large pucka-built Godowns. STEARNS, HOBART & Co.
6, Apollo Street.

TO LET.—On Malabar Hill, from 8th June next, the House now under occupation of E. W. Ravenscroft, and formerly by John Cassels, Esq. Apply to
COWASJEE JEHANGHIER.

A PORTABLE STEAM ENGINE, 5 Horses nominal Power, can work up to eight, Double Steam Gauges and extra Brasses for Bearings and Fittings complete. Large Fire Box for burning wood, and Boiler made to order of extra stout Plates. Apply to
PERCIVAL J. WAITE.

LAMPS.—The undersigned have on hand a large supply of the following:—

Tucker's Solar Lamps.	Tucker's Wall Lamps.
„ Reading do.	„ Bull's Eye Lanterns.
„ Tent do.	„ Hand do.
„ Argand do.	

TREACHER & Co. (Limited.)
Bombay, the Fort, Byculla, and Poona.

NOTICES.

WANTED.—A good expeditious Native Draughtsman for an Architect's Office. Address "Cephas," *Bombay Gazette*.

WANTED.—A thoroughly competent BOOK-KEEPER. Address with references and qualifications "S," at this Office.

THE Advertiser having a larger Bungalow than he requires, wishes to meet with a Gentleman or Lady and Gentleman to reside with him. The Bungalow is well situated, very comfortable, has a large Compound. Address "Alpha," *Bombay Gazette*.

A CARD.—MR. G. LATHAM, Civil Engineer, Architect and Surveyor, (Projector of the Tigris Overland route to India. Offices—9 Rampart Row, Fort.

TIFFINS! TIFFINS!! TIFFINS!!!—The best Tiffin in Bombay to be had at half-past one o'clock daily, at the Cambridge Hotel.
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Also, a first-class Billiard Table.

NOTICE.—MR. J. S. ELMORE is authorized to sign for our Firm per procuration until further notice.
HUNT & Co.,
Merchants and General Agents.
Bombay, 13th April 1864.

NOTICE.—MR. PIERRE PAGLIANO has been admitted my partner from the 15th instant, and our business will be carried on in future as Merchants and Commission Agents under the style of PAGLIANO & Co.
Bombay, 26th May 1864. ALBERT VINAY.
N. B.—All applications, concerning Messrs G. W. WHEATLEY & Co.'s Overland Agency, should be addressed to the new Firm.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Partnership hitherto existing between JAMES PICKARD CORNFORTH, WILLIAM LEES HUDSON, and PETER WOODFINE, carried on at Liverpool, under the firm of CORNFORTH and WOODFINE, and at Bombay under the firm of J. P. CORNFORTH & Co., was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 21st day of July last.
p. pro. J. P. CORNFORTH & Co.
Bombay, 25th May 1864. C. E. MITCHELL.

NOTICE.

With regard to the above Advertisement notice is hereby given, that subsequent to the Twenty-first day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-three, the business therein referred to, has been, and in future will be, carried on by the said JAMES PICKARD CORNFORTH alone, at London and Liverpool under the firm of J. P. CORNFORTH, and at Bombay under the style of J. P. CORNFORTH & Co.
p. pro. J. P. CORNFORTH & Co.
Bombay, 25th May 1864. C. E. MITCHELL.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—The undersigned have this day removed to No. 17 Church Street, opposite the Bank of India.
Bombay, 18th April 1864. V. RAMCHUNDER & Co.

NOTICE.—No applications for Shares in the Khandeish Farming Company (Limited) will be received after the 28th instant from persons in Bombay, or after the 30th idem from those up-country.
24th May 1864. EWART, LATHAM & Co.

TREACHER & Co. (LIMITED).—NOTICE is hereby given, that the Meeting of the Shareholders lately advertised to take place on the 25th instant, is postponed until the 15th proximo.
By order of the Directors,
23rd May 1864. W. H. SARGENT, Secretary.

ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION.—The Company's Deed of Settlement is now ready for signature at the Office of the Corporation, and Provisional Stock Certificates will be issued in exchange for the Call Receipts. Holders, not being allottees,—are requested to see that these are regularly endorsed, as, otherwise, they cannot be recognised.
For the Promoters,
WILL. STEEL.
Rampart Row, Bombay, 20th May 1864.

NOTICE TO SHIP-MASTERS, RAILWAY CONTRACTORS, HOUSE-BUILDERS, &c.—Timber of every description, Masts, Spars, Teakwood, Jungle Wood, and all kinds of Planks, Deals, Battan, Pine and other kinds of Timber, at moderate prices. Apply to BOMANJEE RUTTONJEE, Warree Bunder.

TO CAPITALISTS AND LANDOWNERS.—Gentlemen owning land at Byculla or Tardeo, and prepared to build, are requested to address "Centaur," care of the Manager, who wishes to lease for a term of years certain premises which he desires to have built for him. The buildings will be of an inexpensive kind, and a good rent will be given.
22nd March 1864.

BOMBAY CATHEDRAL NOTICE.—The Lord Bishop of the Diocese having decided to allot Sittings in the Cathedral Church, all persons desirous of occupying seats are requested to make application addressed to the Trustees at the Vestry on or before WEDNESDAY, the first day of June next. By order,
J. DOWMAN,
Bombay, 21st May 1864. Cathedral Clerk.

THE following Passages are required:—
FROM BOMBAY TO THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.
For (3) three time-expired Men of Her Majesty's Military Service.
FROM BOMBAY TO SINGAPORE.
For (8) eight time-expired Convicts.
By order of the Superintendent of Marine,
GEO. INGLE, Secretary.
Superintendent's Office, Bombay, 14th May 1864.

NOTICE.—To be sold by Public Auction, in Her Majesty's Dockyard, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th May, and days following, at noon, New Marine Stores, as per *Second Catalogue*.

Also, old and unserviceable Marine Stores, being the last sale of the season. For *Second Catalogue* and terms of sale apply to the Marine Storekeeper.
GEO. THOS. ROBINSON,
Commander I. N., Marine Storekeeper.
Bombay, Marine Storekeeper's Office, 18th May 1864.

NOTICE.—For sale by Public Auction, in Her Majesty's Dockyard, on 31st May (noon), Her Majesty's Schooner *Mahi*, Copper and Copper-fastened, as she stands just out of Dock thoroughly repaired, refitted, and equipped with Masts, Rigging, Gear, Yards, Booms, Sails, Awnings, Anchors, Cables, Tanks, Ballast, and Fittings, &c., complete, and ready for sea. For further particulars apply to the Marine Storekeeper.
GEO. THOS. ROBINSON, Commander,
Marine Storekeeper.
Bombay, Marine Storekeeper's Office, 20th May 1864.

IMPROVED DOUBLE ACTION MACARTHY COTTON, GINS, PLATT and RICHARDSON'S PATENT 1863.—These Gins of 12 inches wide for Hand Power, and 40 inches wide for Steam, or Bullock Power, given larger out-turn and produce more clean Cotton from the same quantity of Seed than any other Gin requiring the same power. They do not crush the seeds or in any way injure the fibre of the Cotton.

The Gins may be seen working, and samples of any description of Cotton may be cleaned, at the Bombay Offices of Platt Brothers & Co., 7 Hummum Street, Fort, where prices, and other information may also be obtained.
R. NEWTON,
May, 1864. Agent for Platt Brothers & Co.

NAVIGATION AND LOCAL MARINE BOARD EXAMINATION.—The undersigned (who holds a Certificate (Extra) of Competency from the Board of Trade) having his Mornings from 7 to 10, and Evenings from 5 to 8, unoccupied, is prepared to give LESSONS IN NAVIGATION, and to prepare Candidates for Marine Board Examinations in accordance with the Regulations of the Board of Trade.

Testimonials can be seen on application.
References kindly permitted to:—
Captain J. W. YOUNG, C.B. (late I.N.,)
Superintendent Bombay Marine.
Captain W. C. BARKER, (late I.N.,)
Master Attendant.
Captain G. T. ROBINSON, (late I.N.,)
Superintendent Floating Barteries.
Captain HAYMAN, Shipping Master.
Captain DIXON, Lloyd's Surveyor.

☞ Shipmasters' Chronometers carefully tested and rates determined for them if required. J. WILLIAMS,
5, Bake House Lane, Fort. Late Masret R.N. & I.N.

WANTED.—A Printing Press for the Office of the Commissioner in Sind.

The Press should be large enough to print a sheet of 31 inches by 21 inches, or thereabouts, and should be furnished with the following stock and type:—

Blankets and Parchments	2	pairs each.
Bodkins	6	Nos.
Chases, Cast, Jobbing of Sizes,	6	Nos.
Furniture, metal	49	lbs.
Galleys, brass, (foolscap length)	12	
Ink, black, printing, good	20	lbs.
Mallet and Planer	1	each.
Points, Press	3	pairs.
Quoins	250	
Quotations from 1 to 4 em	40	lbs.
Roller Frames of sizes	3	
Roller moulds, cast iron	1	
Rule case, brass	1	
Shooters, brass-tipped	2	
Sticks, composing (size 9 inches)	4	
Sticks, side, assorted	3	dozen.
Table, inking, cylindrical	1	
Type.		
Bourgeoise, with italics	1	case.
Minion, Do.	1	do.
Do. two line	1	upper case.
Pica, with italics	300	lbs.
Do. Small Do.	200	lbs.

Apply, stating terms, to W. WELLS,
Superintendent Commissioner's Office, Kurrachee.
Kurrachee, 19th May 1864.

BROKERS' LOAN, DISCOUNT AND BANKING COMPANY, (LIMITED.)—NOTICE is hereby given, that the Bank is opened for the transaction of local banking business.

LOANS AND DISCOUNTS.

The Bank discounts Government and Private Bills and Hoondies, and grants loans on the Security of Government Paper, Goods, &c.

DEPOSITS.

Interest allowed at 3 per cent. per annum on current deposits when not less than Rs. 500, nor exceeding Rs. 50,000, unless as may be specially arranged.

On the sale or purchase of Government Paper, Bank Stocks, and other Securities ¼ per cent., on the amount realized on invested.

On interest or dividend ¼ per cent.

The Bank receives Government and other Securities for safe custody free of charge, the interest or dividends thereon being credited to account.

On returning Securities out of safe custody ¼ per cent. commission charged.

Hours of business 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Saturdays... ... ... 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.
ARDASEER BOMANJEE, Manager.
12th March 1864.

NOTICES.

EUROPEAN PENSIONERS' AND WIDOWS' HOME, TARDEO.—Supported by Voluntary Contributions.—Donations to the above Institution of Clothes, and Books (suitable for the Pensioners' Library), will be thankfully received and duly acknowledged by the Secretary.
Major J. T. ANNESLEY, Treasurer, Captain TURNER, Secretary.

ROYAL BANK OF INDIA.—FINAL CALL OF Rs. 25 PER SHARE.—NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a Resolution of the Board of Directors, the Shareholders are required to pay a Final Call of Rs. 25 per Share on or before the 1st day of July 1864; after which date Interest will be chargeable on the arrears at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum.
By order of the Board,
Bombay, 19th May 1864. J. GORDON, Manager.

BOMBAY WOOL Co. (LIMITED.)—NOTICE is hereby given to the Shareholders of this Company, that the Second Call of Rs. 200 per Share will be payable at the Office of the Commercial Bank of India on or before MONDAY the 13th day of June 1864.
By order of the Board of Directors,
ROPER, PRICE & Co.,
Bombay, 19th May 1864. Secretaries & Treasurers.

BOMBAY COAST AND RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, (LIMITED.)—CALL OF RUPEES 1,000 PER SHARE ON THE NEW SHARES OF THIS COMPANY.—NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a Resolution of the Board of Directors, a Call of Rupees 1,000 per Share, on the new Shares of this Company, will be payable at the office of the undersigned on or before the 10th June 1864.
FULCHER, COOPER & Co., Managers.
Bombay, 19th May 1864.

BOMBAY COAST AND RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION Co., (LIMITED.)—INCREASE OF CAPITAL.—NOTICE.—In pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at the Office of the undersigned on FRIDAY the 27th day of May 1864, at 4 P. M., to consider a proposition to increase the Capital of the Company.

The following Special Resolution will be submitted to the Meeting:—

That the Capital of the Company be increased from thirteen lacs of Rupees (13,00,000) to twenty-six lacs of Rupees (26,00,000) by the issue of (520) five hundred and twenty new Shares of two thousand five hundred Rupees (2,500) each, to be allotted as the Directors may deem best.
FULCHER, COOPER, & Co., Managers.
Bombay, 19th May 1864.

THE ORIENTAL SHIP OWNING ASSOCIATION (LIMITED.)
ધી આરોએનટલ થીપઓનીગ એશોશીએશન (લીમીટેડ.)
धी ओरियंटल शिपओनींग आसोशियेषन लिमीटेड.

NOTICE.—THIRD CALL OF Rs. 250 PER SHARE.—The Shareholders of the Association are requested to pay into the Central Bank of Western India, the 3rd Call of Rs. 250 per Share, on or before the 1st of April next, after which date, Interest at the rate of 9 per cent. per annum will be charged on over-due Call, and the Shares will become liable to forfeiture.
S. P. FRAMJEE, Secretary and Treasurer,
Association's Office No. 31, Meadow Street.
Bombay, 25th February 1864.

EAST INDIA PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED.)
ઇશ્ટ ઇંડીઆ પરેશ કુંપની (લીમીટેડ.)
ईस्ट ईंडया परेस कमपनी (लीमीटेड.)

NOTICE.—A General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Office, No. 8, Hornby Row, on the 6th June 1864, at 3 P. M. to receive the Report of Directors for the period ending the, 31st May 1864.
ALEXANDER C. BRICE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
No. 8, Hornby Row, 21st May 1864.

BOMBAY PRESS COMPANY (LIMITED.)
બોમબે પરેશ કંમપની (લીમીટેડ.)
बंबे परेस कंपनी लिमिटेड.

NOTICE.—A General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Office, No 8, Hornby Row, on Thursday, the 2nd June 1864, at 3 P. M., to receive the Report of the Directors for the year ending the 31st May 1864.

In consequence of which the Register of Shareholders will be closed from the 2nd to the 16th June, both inclusive, during which time no transfer will be registered.
ALEX. C. BRICE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
No. 8, Hornby Row, Bombay, 21st May 1864.

BOMBAY HOUSE AND LAND INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED.)
બોમબે આઊશ એનડ લેનડ ઇનવેશટમેનટ કંપની લીમીટેડ.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all Shares upon which the undermentioned Calls and Interest shall not have been paid on FRIDAY, the 27th instant, will be absolutely forfeited for the benefit of the Company. By order of the Directors,
ALEX C. BRICE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
1st Call Rs. 100 due 3rd October 1863.
2nd Call Rs. 300 due 22nd February 1864.
8 Hornby Row, Bombay, 4th May 1864.

THE EAST INDIAN TRADING AND BANKING COMPANY (LIMITED.)—NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a Resolution passed by the Board of Directors under date the 18th instant, a General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Company's Offices on Wednesday the 1st June 1864, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors on the affairs of the Company since its establishment, and for the consideration of the following subjects,—as also for the disposal of such other business as may be brought before the Meeting:—

I. Appointment of Auditors.
II. Appointing additional Directors.
III. Re-modelment of the present system of management and appointment of a paid Manager.
IV. Modification of Clause 3 of the Memorandum of Association in so far as TRADING operations are concerned, and limiting the business to BANKING.

By order of the Board of Directors,
BHICOO BABAJEE, & Co., Managers.
Bombay, 2 Tamarind Lane, Fort, 23rd May 1864.

THE EAST INDIAN TRADING AND BANKING COMPANY, (LIMITED.)—NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a Resolution of the Board of Directors, a Second Call of Rupees 25 (Twenty-five) per Share, will be payable by the Shareholders of the Company at the Company's Offices, on or before 20th January 1864.

Interest will be charged at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum upon the unpaid Calls; and any shares upon which the above Calls are not paid within one month from the specified date will be subject to forfeiture,
By order of the Directors,
BHICOO, BABAJEE & Co., Managers,
Bombay, 15th December 1863.

With reference to the above, Notice is hereby given to those Shareholders who have not paid the Second Call of Rupees 25 per share in the above Company, that if such Call, together with Interest thereon from the 20th January (the date on which it became due) be not paid at this Office, on or before the 31st May instant, their shares will be absolutely forfeited.
By order of the Board of Directors,
BHICOO, BABAJEE & Co., Managers.
Bombay, 2nd Tamarind Lane, Fort, 11th May 1864.

DESIGN FOR COMPETITION.—PRESIDENCY COLLEGE AND SENATE HOUSE.

The Madras Government are prepared to receive designs for a new Presidency College, and for a Senate House, to be built at Chepauk, Madras.

A Schedule of measurements, together with a plan of the proposed site, can be had on application at the Office of the Secretary to Government, Department of Public Works, Madras.

The rates on which the work is to be calculated will also be furnished at that Office. The gross estimate is not to exceed Rupees 2,50,000 for the College, and Rupees 1,50,000 for the Senate House.

The buildings will be erected on contiguous sites, and both should therefore be planned in the same style of architecture.

There must be ample provision for proper ventilation, and the walls must be protected, as far as possible, from the direct rays of the sun.

The designs are unrestricted, firstly, as to the style, provided it is suited to the climate, and to the use to which the buildings are to be devoted; and secondly, as to materials, provided they are procurable in Madras at prices which will admit of their being used in the buildings as designed.

The designs must include,
1st. Ground plan, and plan of each storey.
2nd. Elevation of each of the four faces, if not alike.
3rd. Transverse sections.

The plans and elevations to be on a scale of 8 feet to an inch. A specification, in sufficient detail, to accompany each plan to enable the Judges to decide whether the plans can be carried out within the sum allowed.

A prize of Rupees 3,000 will be awarded for the best design, provided it fairly fulfils the above conditions.

If the best designs, in an artistic point of view, fail to fulfil any of the above essential conditions, the Judges will be empowered to reduce or withhold the prize: and no prize will be awarded to a design merely because it fulfils the conditions, if otherwise conspicuously deficient in artistic merit.

The drawings and estimates, &c., should be sent in on or before the 1st of November 1864 in the usual manner with mottos, and envelopes containing the name and address of the Artist, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras, by whom the envelopes will be opened after the prizes have been adjudged.

It will be optional to Government to avail themselves of the services of the Author in altering or executing the design selected, and that design will remain the absolute property of Government.

The design will be selected and the prize awarded by a Committee consisting of—
The Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras;
The Director of Public Instruction, Madras;
The Chief Engineer, Madras Railway Company; who will be asked to aid Government in the adjudication.

Unsuccessful designs will be returned to the Authors if claimed by them, or by their authorized Agents, within one month from the period of adjudication.
CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
21st April 1864. Secretary to Government.

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Fine Old Port	„	18	„
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Finest, very old, full flavoured Port	„	26	„
Also a few octaves of fine old Port, ready for use	„	100	each.
Superior St. Emilien Claret	„	24	per doz.

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CLARET.			Per dozen.
St. Estéphe Eschenauer Beneke & Co. à		Rs.	12
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Pauillac	do.	do.	„ 25
Pontet Canet	do.	do.	„ 35
COGNAC.			
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Fine old Port, Black Seal	at Rs. 26	per dozen.	
„ „ „ Pints	„ 14	„	„
Old Pale Cognac	„ 20	„	„
Fine very old Do.	„ 36	„	„
Sauterne	„ 20	„	„

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Champagne, in case containing			1 doz. each.	
Mosselle,	do.	do.	1	„
Sherry,	do.	do.	3	„
Claret,	do.	do.	2	„
Eau de Cologne, in Boxes			½	„

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Port Wine, (Quarts), in cases containing			3 doz. each.	
Sherry,	do.	do.	3	„
Brandy,	do.	do.	1	„
Old Tom,	do.	do.	1	„
Whiskey,	do.	do.	1	„

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FOR SALE at the Godowns of the undersigned;

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Fleur de Sillery, Ernest Irroy & Co.	at Rs. 36	per doz.	quarts
Do. Joseph Perrier Fils & Co.	„ 32	do.	do.
Sillery Mousseux superior do.	„ 32	do.	do.
Do. do. Adolphe Collin,	„ 32	do.	do.
Do. do. do.	„ 17	do.	pints.
Bouzy Mousseux do.	„ 34	do.	quarts.
Do. do.	„ 18	do.	pints.
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Do. do.	„ 18	do.	pints.
Cliquot	„ 36	do.	quarts.
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Do. do.	„ 18	do.	pints.
Sparkling Hock 1st quality	„ 35	do.	quarts.
Do. do.	„ 18	do.	pints.
Hockheimer 137	„ 25	do.	quarts.
CLARET.			
St. Julien 1856. Monthenil Franc fils ainé	at Rs. 35	do.	do.
Do. 1858 do.	„ 3	do.	do.
Chateau Margaux 1856 do.	„ 35	do.	do.
Do. 1858 do.	„ 3	do.	do.
Fine Claret 1858 Aug. Miller & Co.	„ 16	do.	do.
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Do. Leoville do.	„ 22	do.	do.
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Moselle, Sup. Sparkling Brand Tod-Heatly & Co.	36	0
Do. Fine „ Brand a Crown	30	0
Hock, Sparkling Brand Tod-Heatly & Co.	36	0
Sherry Pale, Blue Seal	23	0
Do. Do. Yellow Seal	29	0
Do. Golden, Do.	29	0
Do. Green Seal	29	0
Do. Red Seal	33	0
Do. Amontillado, Black Seal	33	0
Claret Light Capsule	15	0
Do. Yellow Seal	23	0
Do. Red Do. Pints	17	0
Do. Do. Do. Quarts	32	0
Port, Black Seal	26	0
Brandy, Vieux Cognac	34	0
Do. Brand a Crown	24	0
Old Tom, Red Seal	18	0
Dry Gin, Black Seal	18	0

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Rampart Row, 20th May 1863.

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SHERIES—			
Black Seal......Amontillado	per dozen	Rs.	36
Red......Pale Dry	„	„	30
Bronze do. / White do. } Good Dinner Wines	„	„	24
Brown do. / Yellow do. }	„	„	22
MADEIRA, very old	„	„	42
PORT—			
Black Seal—Matured Fruity. Quarts	„	„	30
Do. Do. Pints	„	„	15
Red Seal Quarts	„	„	24
Do. Pints	„	„	43
CLARET—			
Chateaux Margeaux	„	„	34
Do. Leoville	„	„	28
St. Julien	„	„	22
Medoc	„	„	16
Do. Pints	„	„	9
CHAMPAGNE—			
Superior quality, Grisler's	„	„	45
Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	24
Do. Do. ... Cunliffs	„	„	45
Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	24
Do. Do. De St. Marceaux & Co.'s	„	„	41
Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	24
Do. Do. A. De Paul's ...Quarts	„	„	40
Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	24
HOCK—			
Sparkling and Still { By Deinhard } „ Moselle { and Jordan }	„	„	39
HOCK / MOSELLE } Pints	„	„	20
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CRABBIE'S GINGER WINE...Quarts	„	„	21
Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	12
CURACOA	„	„	42
MARASCHINO	„	„	42
CHERRY BRANDY Pints	„	„	18
SPIRITS—			
Brandies, Rs. 18, 24, 30	„	„	
RUM Fine old Jamaica	„	„	20
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Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	12
HOLLAND GIN in Square Bottles	„	„	24
KINAHAN'S L. L. WHISKEY	„	„	21
ORANGE BITTERS..in Stopped Bottles Quarts	„	„	18
Do. Do. Do. Pints	„	„	10
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Do. Cordial Do. Quarts	„	„	21

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6 Cases Painkiller, 120 Ice Pitchers, and 117 Barrels Apples. BENJ. F. FIELD, Junior, Agent.
Bombay, 7th May 1864.

TO ENGINEERS, CONTRACTORS, AND MACHINISTS.—THE undersigned have on hand, and for arrival, the undernoted Engines, and other machinery, from the Engineering works of Messrs. T. M. Tennant & Co., Edinburgh and Leith.
3 H P } Condensing Steam Engine and Boiler.
2 H P }
12 H. P. Horizontal high pressure Steam Engine.
10 H. P. Upright Steam Engine and Boiler.
4 H. P. Portable Steam Engine and Multitubular Boiler.
Portable Punching and Shearing Machines.
Planing Machine.
Drilling Machines, double geared, Self-acting.
Screw Cutting Gap Lathes.
Single and Double Acting Donkey Pumping Engines.
Upright Boilers for do.
Hydraulic Presses.
Screwing Machines.
A strong Carry for conveyance of Boilers.
A Cotton Gin.
Self-acting Saw Bench, with Saws complete.
Circular Saws.
Lithographic Presses; various sizes.
A set Heavy Plate Bending Rollers, on base plate.
Spigot and Faucet Pipes.
Ornamental Cast Iron Garden pumps, with handles, various sizes.
Steel Mill Picks, and handles, &c. &c.
Brass Water Guages, Guage Cocks, Glass Tubes, Brass Cocks, Stop Valves, Smith's Patent Steam Indicators.
Upright Self-acting Saw Frames, to take in 24 in. Timber.
Six in. Centre Screw Cutting Foot Turning Lathe.
3 ft. 6 in. Corn mills with French Stones.
4 ft. do. do.
Bevol Metre Cog-wheels.

For full particulars, purchasers are requested to apply to Mr. Andrew Laing, Machinist, Tardeo, where tracings of all the Machinery may be seen.
FRAMJEE, SANDS & Co.,
Agents to Messrs. T. M. Tennant & Co.
Bombay, 10th February 1864.

THE undersigned have for sale at their Godowns the following Agricultural Implements, expressly made for the soil of the Deccan, Koncan and Guzerat; for Bullocks, with extra fittings.
1 Improved Scarifier with Pole for Bullocks, with extra Blades.
1 Plough, 2 wheel Skim Coulter, Steel Breast and Pole for Bullocks, with extra Blades.
1 Do. do. do. do. do. do.
1 Do. Complete with Pole for Bullocks, with extra Blades.
1 Improved Crosskill's Clod Crusher, 3 in. 3 in. wide, with Travelling Wheels for Bullocks; spare Wheels.
1 Read's Patent wood subsoil Plough, with extra Blades.
1 Lawn Mowing Machine.
1 Seven row small occupation Corn Drill, 4 ft., with Pole and extra fittings.
1 Row Cup Drill for sowing Linseed, Rapeseed, and all sorts of smallest Seeds, saving much labour.
Also Iron Piping on Screw principal.
4 feet 2 inch, 1½ inch, 1¼ inch, and 1 inch Iron Pipes.
Connectors, Bends, Springs, Elbows, Ties, Crosses, Iron Cocks, Caps, Plugs, Nipples, Backnuts, Sockets, Pipe Tongs, Socket Tongs, &c. of different sizes.
Lead Pipes, tinned inside, of 1 inch and ½ inch.
Stoves.—2 30 in. Cundy's Patent Multums.
Corrugated Iron Roofing.
96 by 8 = 3 by 24
84 by 8 = 3 by 26
72 by 8 = 3 by 28
Japanned Wire Netting, 24 inches wide, in one and two inch mesh.
Galvanized Wire Netting, 24 inches wide, in 1½ and 4 inch mesh.
1 Self-acting, screw-cutting Lathe, with 5 inches double split collar, head stock, best wheel centre slide rest and hand rest on planed Iron bed, and Iron stands with fly wheel, crank and treadle, set of change wheels, driving plate, face plate, drill chuck and centres, keys and lever, &c.; complete.
TAYLOR, RANDALL & Co.,
Church Street, Bombay.

FOR SALE.

ALBUMS OF EVERY KIND.—Just unpacked, Albums for large Pictures, Prints or Photos, Postage Stamps, Cartes-de-visite, &c. Some of these Albums will be found of great value, their exterior finish being the nearest approach to perfect workmanship ever seen in Bombay.
HERBELT & Co.

COPYING PRESSES.—Just landed, a first-class selection of heavy and light made:—

Copying Presses, with London-made birch wood stands, fitted with drawers complete, a superior-made stand mounted with a best quality wrought iron Copying Press; machine planed bed, 15 inches by 10 inches clear, square thread, cut screw, with gun metal box and fittings. Rs. 125. Press alone can be had Rs. 100.

Copying Presses, large letter size, same quality as above, very strong and well-finished. Rs. 75.

Copying Presses, quarto size, good strong presses, adapted for light work, each. Rs. 50.

The above Presses have been just landed, and are perfectly new and sound.
Rampart Row Bombay. HERBERT & Co

METALLIC DESPATCH BOXES.—These boxes are of the best possible make by Mordan, having duplicate keys, fitted up for Stationery, complete, with trays, two inks, &c., in three sizes, viz:—

Inches 13 by 9 by 5¼	Rs.	40
„ 14 by 10 by 6	„	45
„ 16 by 11 by 7	„	50

METALIC CASH BOXES, equal to the above in quality having duplicate keys, three compartments, with lids, &c., Mordan's best make in three sizes, viz:—

8 inches	Rs.	40
10 „	„	15
12 „	„	18

Rampart Row, Bombay. HERBERT & Co.

ELECTRO-SILVER PLATED SPOONS and FORKS—The Spoons, Forks, etc., etc., of all the patterns mentioned below are of the best manufacture.

	Plain. Rs.	As.	Kin's. Rs.	As.	Albert. Rs.	As.	Lilly. Rs.	As.	Linear. Rs.	As.
Table Forks ...p.doz.	27	0	42	0	42	0	40	0	36	0
Dessert Forks „	22	0	33	0	33	0	32	0	30	0
Table Spoons „	27	0	42	0	42	0	40	0	36	0
Dessert Spoons „	22	0	33	0	33	0	32	0	30	0
Tea Spoons „	14	0	22	0	22	0	20	0	18	0
Egg Spoons, gilt bowls	12	0	22	0	22	0	22	0	18	0
Mustard S. gilt bowls.	12	0	22	0	22	0	22	0	18	0
Salt S. gilt bowls „	12	0	20	0	20	0	20	0	15	0
Sugar Tongs ...each	2	8	5	0	5	0	4	8	4	0
Sugar Spoons „	2	8	5	0	5	0	4	8	4	0
Mustard Ladles for Cruets. „	1	8	3	0	3	0	3	0	3	0
Gravy Spoons „	5	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	6	8
Soup Ladle „	9	0	15	0	15	0	14	0	12	0
Sauce Ladle or Milk Ladle „	3	8	4	12	4	12	4	0	4	0
Butter Knives „	3	0	5	0	5	0	4	0	4	0
Pickle Forks „	1	8	3	0	3	0	3	0	2	8
Skewers ......per inch	0	4	0	12	0	12	0	8	0	6

*** The articles can be supplied in small quantities to suit purchasers, either as single pieces, in pairs, or in quarter dozens, as may be required. HERBERT & Co.

LOYSEL'S PATENT HYDROSTATIC TEA AND COFFEE URNS:—

	Patent Tin. Rs.	Copper Bronzed. Rs.	Britannia. Rs.	Electro Silver. Rs.
To hold one Pint	8	22	20	30
With measure	9	24	22	33
Extra strong	10	25	25	35
To hold two Pints	12	27	28	40
Superior	12	29	30	43
Improved Pattern	13	32	32	45
To hold three Pints	15	35	38	40
Registered	16	40	40	45
Extra strong	17	40	42	50
To hold four Pints	20	none	42	65
Superior	22	none	42	none
Extra measure	25	none	46	none
To hold six Pints	29	none	none	none
Extra filter	32	none	60	none

N. B.—The 6 pint Urn is admirably suited for use at Clubs, Messes, large Parties, Picnics among Saloon Passengers, &c.
Rampart Row, Bombay HERBERT & Co.

NEW STOCK OF ENGINEERING INSTRUMENTS, &c., SPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR USE IN INDIA.

HERBERT & Co. have now on stock some first-rate Theodolites and Transit Instruments, of most perfect construction, complete, for any description of work: Verniers of Silver, very finely divided, diameter of plate 6, 7, 8, and 9 inches.

THEODOLITES.—A magnificent Transit Instrument, by *Troughton and Simms*, 9 inch horizontal vernier divided on silver, and circular vertical vernier also divided on silver, with the Telescope to revolve without moving the instrument. Two Spirit Tubes on vernier plate, a 7 inch spirit tube to level the Telescope, and extra spirit tube with ivory scale to level the axis of the instrument, a lamp to light the axis for Astronomical purposes or for Tunneling; the whole apparatus is fitted into two strong Mahogany cases, with eye-pieces, plumb-bob, turn screws, &c., &c., complete, and a strong Mahogany tripod stand, also a triangle metal stand for using the Theodolite on a table or on the ground.

A NINE INCH THEODOLITE.—Similar to the above but with semi-circular vertical vernier divided on silver, in strong Mahogany box with fittings and Mahogany tripod stand complete.

AN EIGHT INCH THEODOLITE.—Similar to the above; a very superior instrument in Mahogany case with Tripod stand and fittings complete.

TRANSIT INSTRUMENT, by *Troughton and Simms*, with pierced pivot for Astronomical purposes with lamp to illuminate the centres of Telescope, circle and verniers finely divided, extra large spirit tube with ivory scale, to level the axis of Telescope; the whole fitted in box complete.

TRANSIT INSTRUMENT differing in form and detail of mechanism with extra long telescope, all portable, made to take to pieces and pack closely in a box 18 by 24 by 7 inches.

POCKET SEXTANT.—Several sizes of the best quality, by *Elliott*, cases &c. complete.

PRISMATIC COMPASSES.—3 inches to 4½ diameter, bronzed and bright, in sling cases, by *Elliott* and other makers. Rs. 30 to 60 each.

OPTICAL SQUARES, bronzed in neat cases, latest improved. Each Rs. 14.

POCKET COMPASSES. Four sizes with magnetic bar, and also with revolving card in German silver cases. Rs. 6 to 10 each.
Rampart Row, Bombay. HERBERT & Co.

CASES OF DRAWING INSTRUMENTS FOR MECHANICAL, ENGINEERING, AND SURVEY DRAWINGS.

HERBERT & Co. respectfully intimate that their present stock of this class of Goods surpasses any that they have hitherto imported or sale for sale in Bombay.

SEVEN INCH CASE OF MAHOGANY, containing 6 inch compass with Pen and Pencil legs to fit into it, inch compass divider, 6 ivory handle drawing pens, and pencils, 6 inch paralell ruler and diagonal scale. Each box Rs. 10.

EIGHT INCH CASE OF WALNUT-WOOD, containing 6 inch electrum compass with pen and pencil, legs to fit, bow pen, drawing pen and pencil, paralell ruler, ivory scale, diagonal and German silver semi-circular protractor, all of white metal case polished and lined velvet, lock and key. Rs 15 each box.

SUPERIOR SECTOR JOINTED INSTRUMENT, in Mahogany box with tray comprising 6 inch shifting compass, pen and pencil legs to fit, ivory handle drawing pen, turn-screw and eraser, box wood protractor, and ebony paralell ruler, velvet lined tray and case with lock and key. Rs. 20 each.

MAHOGANY CASE OF INSTRUMENTS, comprising 6 inch compass with moveable divider, pen and pencil legs, bow pen and bow pencil, lengthening bar, two ivory handle drawing pens, turn-screw ivory, sector, ivory ruler, box wood protractor and cakes of useful water colours with brushes, in velvet lined tray and case, lock and key. Rs. 40.

ELECTRUM SECTOR POINTED COMPASS with three moveable fittings and lengthening bar, hair spring compass, sector jointed bow pen and pencil, ivory handled drawing pens, jointed with spring pencil, turn-screw &c. ivory sector, ivory protractor, ivory ruler, 6 cakes of colours with assorted brushes, box and tray lined velvet with lock and key complete. Rs. 80.

ADDISCOMBE BRASS.—Dividers, 5 inch and 6 inch with the usual fitting joints, box pens and pencils, lengthening bar, ivory handled drawing pens jointed and spring military protractor with diagonal scale and chords and sector both of ivory, 12 inch marquois scales and set square in long mahogany box. Rs. 50.
Rampart Row, Bombay. HERBERT & Co.

TEE (T.) SQUARES.

Pear tree 18 inches long each	Rs. 3	0
Pear tree 24 inches long each	4	8
Pear tree 30 inches long each	5	0
Do. Brass edges 18 inches long each	6	0
Do. Brass edges 24 inches long each	6	8
Do. Brass edges 30 inches long each	7	0
Ebony, with moveable stock 24 inches	8	0
Ebony, with moveable stock 30 inches	9	0
Ebony, with moveable stock 36 inches	10	0
Rolling Brass, paralell rules 6 inches	11	0
Rolling Brass, rules 12 inches	18	0
Rolling Brass rules, 24 inches	36	0
Rolling Brass rules, 30 inches	45	0

Rampart Row, Bombay. HERBERT & Co.

PARALELL RULES.

Parallel Rules, Ordinary double bars, of Ebon 6 inches long		
Paralell Rules Do. Do. Ebony 9 inches long	2	8
Paralell Rules Do. Do. Ebony 12 inches long	3	8
Paralell Rules Do. Do. Ebony 15 inches long	4	8
Paralell Rules Do. Do. Ebony 24 inches long	8	0
Ebony Rolling paralell rules 6 inches	5	0
Ebony Rolling paralell rules 9 inches	7	0
Ebony Rolling paralell rules 18 inches	14	0
Ebony Rolling paralell rules 24 inches	18	0
Ebony Rolling parallel rules 42 inches	15	0

Rampart Row Bombay. HERBERT & Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MR. JOHN MAY SOMERVILLE is authorised to sign for our Firm per procuration from this date. KILLICK, NIXON & Co.
Bombay, 26th May 1864.

OFFICE FOR BANK OR MERCHANT.—To be let, a House or portion of the same, new, central, cool, and in all respects admirably suitable. "X." care of this Paper.

WANTED FOR THREE MONTHS CERTAIN.—TEN EUROPEAN INSPECTORS. Application to be made in person to the undersigned.
R. SIMS,
Actg. Surveyor to the Municipal Commissioners.
26th May 1864.

MORICE, COX & Co.'s SHEPTON MALLET PALE ALE, (blue labels), landed ex *Yarra*, in fine condition. Rs. 5½ per Dozen in Casks of 4 Dozen each.
Bombay, 25th May 1864. GREY & Co.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON SEED.—Just received per Overland Mail, a few Casks, each containing about 5 cwt. Price Rs. 50 per Cash.
PEEL, CASSELS & Co.,
Hon. Agents Cotton Supply Association.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Captain LIMSTRONG of the Ship *Southampton*, from London, will not be responsible for any Debts incurred by the Crew of his Vessel during her stay in this Harbour.
Bombay, 27th May 1864.

NOTICE.—Consignees per Barque *Yarra*, Captain TEASDEL, from London, are requested to send off Boats immediately to take delivery of their Goods, otherwise the same will be landed at the risk and expense of the concerned, at the Custom Warehouses; and the detention of the Ship will be charged to the Consignees.
J. S. TEASDEL,
Bombay, 26th May 1864. Commander of the Barque *Yarra*.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO per *Southampton*, from London, are requested to send off Boats at once to take delivery of their respective Goods, otherwise the same will be landed at their risk and expense.
Captain LIMSTRONG will not be responsible for the condition of any Package after it has left the Ship.
MACNEE & Co.,
Agents for the *Southampton*.

NOTICE.—Verbal Tenders will be received at the Office of the Surveyor to the Municipal Commissioners at 2 o'clock P. M. on TUESDAY, the 31st instant, for the daily supply for three months by contract of
68 Carts, with Bullocks and Drivers.
159 Scavengers.
110 Labouring Women.
50 Biggaries.
The Surveyor to the Municipal Commissioners does not bind himself to accept the lowest, or any, tender.
R. SIMS,
Actg. Surveyor to the Municipal Commissioners.
Bombay, Surveyor's Office, 26th May 1864.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.—The Court of Directors do hereby give notice, that a Dividend of Rupees Twelve and Annas Eight (Rs. 12-8,) equivalent of £1-5 per Share, together with a Bonus of Rupees Seventeen and Annas Eight (Rs. 17-8) equivalent of £1-15 per Share, being at the rate of Twenty-four per cent. per annum on the Capital Stock of the Corporation, for the half-year ending 31st December last, will be paid to Shareholders in India (free of Income Tax) on and after the 3rd proximo.
The Transfer Books at this Agency will be closed from this day to 3rd proximo, inclusive.
By order of the Directors,
Bombay, 26th May 1864 R. MACNEIL, Agent.

THE BOMBAY GAS COMPANY (LIMITED).—Notice is hereby given, that a further portion of the Original Capital of this Company, viz., 10,000 Shares of £5 each, will be issued at par, to those Shareholders whose names appear on the register this day, in the proportion of one Share to every two Shares held by them.
Applications for these Shares from the present Members must be made to the undersigned, and a deposit for £1 per Share paid thereon on or before the 1st July next, to the Chartered Mercantile Bank, Bombay.
By order,
STENHOUSE & Co., Agents,
Bombay Gas Company (Limited.)
Bombay, 26th May 1864.

BOMBAY HOUSE AND LAND INVESTMENT COMPANY (LIMITED.)
બાેમે આાલેચ એનદ લેનદ ઇનવેચતમેનત
કુંપની (લીમીટેડ.)
FORFEITURE OF SHARES.
ALL Shares upon which the undermentioned Calls shall not have been paid THIS DAY, will be absolutely forfeited for the benefit of the Company.
1st Call of Rs. 100 due 3rd Oct. 1863.
2nd Call of Rs. 300 „ 22nd Feb. 1864.
ALEX. C. BRICE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
8, Hornby Row, Bombay, 27th May 1864.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.

(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.)

SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COURT OF DIRECTORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Directors have the pleasure of presenting to the Shareholders the Audited Balance Sheet, and Profit and Loss Account of the Bank, for the year ended 31st December last.

After providing for all bad and doubtful debts, and defraying expense of management at all points, the net profit amounts to £196,562 2s., to which has to be added a sum of £4,269 9s. 2d. undivided profit, brought forward from the preceding year, making a total of £200,831 11s. 2d.

Out of the above Total, £50,000 has been paid in two Half-Yearly Dividends, and £25,000 as a Bonus, making together 15 per cent. on the paid-up Capital of the Bank. A further sum of £50,000 has been added to the Reserve Fund. The unappropriated balance of £75,831 11s. 2d. is carried forward to the Profit and Loss Account of the current year.

As will be seen by the Accounts, the premium on New Shares paid up to 31st December, amounting to £81,140, has been added to the Reserve Fund: the balance due in respect of same, £18,860, since received, has also been passed to this account, which, with the addition of £50,000 from the year's profits, above referred to, makes a total at this date at credit of that Fund of £250,000.

The Directors have purchased Freehold Premises for the Bank's Agencies at Bombay, Colombo, Singapore, Shanghai, and Yokohama.

Agencies of the Bank have been opened at Point de Galle and Newera Ellia in Ceylon, Tuticorin in Southern India, Hankow in China, and Yokohama in Japan.

The ten thousand New Shares have been all taken up by the Shareholders to whom they were allotted, and the sum paid up to this date on account of the New Capital amounts to £134,815.

The Director who retires by rotation is MR. GEORGE GARDEN NICOL, who, being eligible, offers himself for re-election, and the Court recommend him accordingly.

The Shareholders will have to appoint Auditors for the current year.

GEO. G. NICOL, Chairman.
52, Threadneedle Street, 27th April 1864.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.

GENERAL BALANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1863.

DR. LIABILITIES.		£ s. d.
Capital paid up on original Shares		500,000 0 1
Do. New Shares in course of payment		89,995 0 0
Current and Fixed Deposits		2,699,967 3 0
Bills Payable, Notes in Circulation, and other sums due to the Public		5,965,260 4 10
RESERVE FUND.—Balance at 31st December, 1862.	£100,000 0 0	
Premium of £10 per Share on New Shares in course of payment	81,140 0 0	181,140 0 0
PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.—Balance for year ended 31st Dec., 1863, after deduction of Charges, Income Tax for year to date, and bad and doubtful debts.	£200,831 11 2	
Less Dividend paid for half-year ended 30th June, 1863	25,000 0 0	175,831 11 2
		£9,603,103 10 1

CR. ASSETS.	£ s. d.
Coin and Bullion	1,477,464 4 11
Cash with Bankers, and Money at Call	495,091 0 11
Government Securities	293,647 4 9
Reserve Fund Investment Account	100,000 0 0
Landed and House Property at Head Office and Branches	42,190 4 8
Bills Receivable, Loans and other Debts due to the Corporation	7,194,801 3 10
	£9,603,193 19 1

DR. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.	
To Dividend for half-year ended 30th June, 1863	£25,000 0 0
„ ditto ditto 31st December, 1863.	25,000 0 0
„ Bonus for the year ended ditto	25,000 0 0
„ Amount carried to Reserve Fund	50,000 0 0
„ Balance carried forward	75,831 11 2
	£200,831 11 2
CR.	
By Balance of Undivided Profit from 31st December, 1862	£ 4,269 9 2
„ Net Profit for the year ended 31st December, 1863	196,562 2 0
	£200,831 11 2
1864, January 1. By Balance brought forward	£ 75,831 11 2

DR. RESERVE FUND.	
To Balance	£231,140 0 0
	£231,140 0 0
CR.	
By Balance on 31st December, 1862	£100,000 0 0
„ Premium of £10 per Share on New Shares received up to 31st December, 1863, as above	81,140 0 0
„ Amount from Profit and Loss Account, as above	50,000 0 0
	£231,140 0 0
1864, January. By Balance brought forward	£231,140 0 0

D. T. ROBERTSON, Chief Manager.
J. M. REID, Chief Accountant.
GEO. G. NICOL, Chairman.
D. LARNACH, } Directors.
GEORGE MAY, }

LONDON, 27th April, 1864.—We have examined the several Statements transmitted from the managers of the several Branches, and also the Books in London, upon which the above Accounts have been framed, and hereby certify to their correctness, according to such Books and Statements, to 31st December, 1863.
COLEMAN, TURQUAND, YOUNGS & Co.,
16, Tokenhouse Yard, E. C., Public Accountants.

LONDON, 27th April, 1864.—We have examined the Bills of Exchange, Local Bills discounted, and other Securities held by the Bank, against Loans, &c., and we are satisfied that they are available, and that sufficient deductions have been made from the profits of the year ended 31st December, 1863, for all bad and doubtful debts, according to the Statements received from the several Branches in India and China.
J. SMITH, } Auditors.
J. MURRAY ROBERTSON, }

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that FUCKEER DEWJEE PURKER, hath contracted to sell to JEEVAJEE MANOCKJEE WACHA, all that Messuage, Tenement, Dwelling House, and Premises, standing on the Fazendaree ground, belonging to Crustna Muccondjee Sett, situate, lying, and being at Sonapoor Lane, outside the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 87 and 2-9ths square yards, be the same little more or less, and bounded as follows:—on or towards the East, West, and North by the public passage, called Churneywaddy Lane, and on or towards the South by the house of Bhica Dhurma Coley. All persons having claims upon the above mentioned property by way of Mortgage, Inheritance, Gift, or otherwise, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to me, at my Office, No. 2, Hummum Street, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed, and all claims preferred thereafter will be considered null and void.—Dated this 26th day of May 1864.
KHUNDERAO MOROJEE,
Solicitor for the Purchaser.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that MR. KURSONDASS MADHOWDASS hath contracted to sell to THUCKER BHANJEE NUNDOO, all that piece of Hilly Ground, situate at Malabar Hill, without the Fort of Bombay, being part of Land commonly known as Dewdoonger, and registered in the Books of the Collector under No. 303; and bounded on the North partly by the passage of Bomanjee Framjee Cama, on the South-east by the Public Road, on the South-west by the land of Manockjee Shapoorjee Kaka, and on the West by property of Ramjee Chuttoor, the said piece of Hilly Ground admeasuring 8,647 square yards. Any person having any claim on the said Premises, by way of Mortgage, Inheritance, or otherwise, is required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without regard to such claim.—Dated this 27th day of May 1864.
ACLAND AND PRENTIS,
Purchaser's Solicitors.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.—Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has this day assumed charge of the Bombay Agency of the above Bank, in succession to Mr. ANTHONY MORRISON.
By order of the Court of Directors,
Bombay, 26th May 1864. J. L. BRODIE, Agent.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

(Presented at the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting, 13th April 1864.)

THE Directors have now the pleasure to submit to the Shareholders the General Balance Sheet of the Bank, for the year ended 31st December last showing a net Profit of £101,193 2s. 10d. To this has to be added the unappropriated Balance of £4,368 11s. 6d. from last year, making £105,561 14s. 4d.

The Directors have to report that the increase of the Bank's Capital from £644,000 to £800,000 by the issue, at a Premium of £10 per Share, of 7,800 New Shares of £20 each is in course of being most satisfactorily carried out and the Premium received, viz., £78,000, has been carried to the Reserve Fund.

After deducting from the Balance of £105,561 14s. 4d. the sum of £32,200—the interim Dividend paid to the Shareholders in October last at the rate of Ten per cent. per annum—there remains £73,361 14s. 4d. now available for division.

The Directors recommend the Shareholders to declare a Dividend on the present occasion, at the same rate of Ten per cent. per annum, and also a Bonus of Ten Shillings per Share, (both free of Income-tax), which together will amount to £48,300.

They further recommend that £12,000 be added to the Reserve Fund, leaving a Balance of £13,061 14s. 4d. of undivided Profits, to be carried forward. The Reserve Fund, with the above two additions, will then stand at £105,000.

The Directors can continue to report favourably of the prospects of the Bank; and they have to state that since the last Annual Meeting a new Agency has been established at Batavia—now in full working order—and another more recently at Hankow, in China.

The Directors who now retire, are Mr. Thomas Alexander Mitchell, M.P., Mr. Thomas Lancaster, and Mr. Joseph Robert Morrison; and one only being immediately re-eligible, Mr. Mitchell offers himself to the choice of the Shareholders.

Mr. John Jones, whose term of office expired last year, and Mr. Donald M'Lachlan, late of the firm of Messrs. Maclaine, Watson and Co., of Batavia, present themselves for election as Directors.

Mr. Alderman Dakin and Mr. Jonathan Thorp, now complete their annual term of office as Auditors, and offer their services for the ensuing year.

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.
31st December, 1863.

Dr.	£ s. d.
To Capital, paid up in full on Original Shares	644,000 0 0
To New Shares, amount paid in anticipation of Calls	15,650 0 0
To Reserved Surplus Fund	93,000 0 0
To amount due by the Bank, including Bills Payable, Notes in Circulation, Money deposited, and Current accounts	2,811,016 6 1
To Profit and Loss, Net Balance of Profit, after paying all Current Charges, Directors' Allowance, Income Tax, &c.	73,361 14 4
	£3,637,028 0 5
Cr.	£ s. d.
By Cash and Bullion in hand, and Cash at Bankers, at the Head Office and Agencies	655,297 14 4
By Government & other Public Securities	125,920 4 3
By other Securities, consisting of Bills Receivable and Loans	2,841,370 1 5
By Agency Premises, and Office and House Furniture at Head Office and Agencies	14,440 0 5
	£3,637,028 0 5

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.
For the year ending 31st December, 1863.

Dr.	£ s. d.
1863. Oct. 7. To Ninth Dividend, declared this day, being an Interim Dividend for the Half Year to 30th June last, at the rate of 10 per cent. per Annum	32,200 0 0
Dec. 31. To Reserved Surplus Fund, for Premium on New Shares transferred	78,000 0 0
„ To Balance of Profits at this date	73,361 14 4
	£183,561 14 4
Cr.	£ s. d.
1862. Dec. 31. By Balance brought from last Account	4,368 11 6
1863. Dec. 31. By Premium of £10 each on 7,800 New Shares, to be added to Reserved Surplus Fund.	78,000 0 0
„ By Net Profit for the year ending this day	101,193 2 10
	£183,561 14 4

Examined and found correct,
THOMAS DAKIN, } Auditors.
JONATHAN THORP. }
London, 22nd March 1864.

PROFIT AND LOSS—NEW ACCOUNT.

Dr.	£ s. d.
1864. March 22. To Proposed Dividend (Tenth), for the last Half Year, at the rate of 10 per cent. per Annum	32,200 0 0
„ To do. Bonus of 10s. per Share	16,100 0 0
„ To do. Addition to Reserved Surplus Fund	12,000 0 0
„ To Balance of Profits to be carried forward	13,061 14 4
	£73,361 14 4
Cr.	
1863. Dec. 31. By balance brought down.	73,361 14 4
	£73,361 14 4
Cr.	
1864. Mar. 22. By balance	£13,061 14 4

Minutes of the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders, held at the London Tavern on Wednesday, the 13th day of April 1864; WILLIAM MACNAUGHTAN, Esq., in the Chair.

The Advertisement convening the Meeting, and the Directors' Report, with the General Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account closed to the 31st December last having beed read, the following Resolutions were successively put and carried unanimously:—

Moved by the Chairman, and seconded by J. H. Kolle, Esq.:

1st. That the Report now presented, together with the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account, be approved and adopted.

Moved by the Chairman, and seconded by W. J. Lumsden, Esq.:

2nd. That a Dividend for the Half-year ended 31st December last at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, together with a Bonus of 10s. per Share (both free of Income Tax), be now declared payable on and after the 20th instant.

Moved by the Chairman, and seconded by Peter Bell, Esq.:

3rd. That Mr. Thomas A. Mitchell, M.P., who now retires by rotation, be re-elected a Director.

Moved by the Chairman, and seconded by W. S. Lindsay, Esq., M.P.:

4th. That Mr. John Jones be re-elected a Director.

Moved by the Chairman, and seconded by James Fraser, Esq.:

5th. That Mr. Donald M'Lachlan be elected a Director.

Moved by D. Cork, Esq. and seconded by W. H. Mann, Esq.:

6th. That Mr. Alderman Dakin and Mr. Jonathan Thorp be re-elected Auditors for the ensuing year.

Moved by Thomas Huggins, Esq., and seconded by the Rev. Thomas Nightingale:

7th That a vote of thanks be given to the Chairman and Directors for their services to the Bank.

It was further moved by Thomas Huggins, Esq., seconded by the Rev. Thomas Nightingale, and carried;

8th That the future remuneration to the Directors, in return for their services, be £4,000 per annum, instead of £2,500 as hitherto.

With a vote of thanks to the Manager, Secretary, and other Officers of the Bank the proceedings terminated. WM. MACNAUGHTAN, Chairman.

The Warrants for the above Dividend to Shareholders of this Presidency are now in course of circulation to their respective addresses.
Bombay, 26th May 1864. J. L. BRODIE, Agent.

CALENDAR—MAY—JUNE, 1864.
PHASES OF THE MOON.
Last Quarter, Saturday 28th...... 2h. 12m. P. M.

Days.	Dates.	Sundays, Festivals, &c.	Sun rises.	Sun Sets.	High Water Bombay Harbour. Morn	Even	Evening Gun-fire.
			h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	
Fri.	27	Uranus sets at 7.49.	5 24	6 30	3 0	3 30	25th May 1864. Time—9h. 0m. 27. 2.
Sat.	28	Neptune rises 1.57.	5 23	6 30	4 3	4 36	
Sun.	29	1st Sunday after Trinity.	5 23	6 31	5 10	5 46	
Mon.	30	Mercury rises at 4.58	5 23	6 31	6 21	6 53	
Tues.	31	Mercury sets at 5.36.	5 23	6 32	7 25	7 56	
Wed.	1	Nicomede, M.	5 23	6 32	8 25	8 53	
Thur.	2	Daybreak at 4h.	5 23	6 33	9 20	9 45	

LATEST DATES RECEIVED.

ADEN	May 5	KURRACHEE	May 20
AGRA	May 17	LAHORE	May 18
ALLAHABAD	May 21	LONDON	Apr. 18
AUSTRALIA	Apr. 26	MAURITIUS	April 6
ALEXANDRIA	May 14	MADRAS	May 21
BANGALORE	May 20	MALTA	April 23
CALCUTTA	May 20	MEERUT	May 20
CAPE	Mar. 3	OUDH	May 21
CEYLON	May 16	PUNJAUB	May 14
COCHIN	May 7	PENANG	May 9
DELHI	May 21	RANGOON	Mar. 8
FRANCE	April 20	SUEZ	Apr. 28
HONGKONG	April 29	SINGAPORE	May 7

The Bombay Gazette.

FRIDAY, MAY 27, 1864.

WE are curious to learn, both for our own satisfaction and for the information of many of our subscribers who are desirous to participate in the large-handed liberality of our present Government, what are the rules on which the Government acts in waiving or insisting on the observance of its own regulations as to concessions. Is it sufficient that a man be "an honourable man" by courtesy to secure exemption? Or must he in addition have proved his integrity by declaring in public his horror of time-bargains and everything connected with them,—as the Hon'ble Mr. Scott did in the Legislative Council in the following words: "The house "which I myself represent has more than once "been besought on various pretexts to "enter the market in order to support "prices for settling day, and, though we "and others declined, merchants were found "to do the work." (Observe the grand superiority in righteousness thus assumed over other merchants)—and as Mr. Steel did in his vehement protest against underhand influences, whatever they may be? Again, does the Government require that acts should be in conformity with professions; or is a man's claim to exemption interfered with when he indulges on the very first occasion that offers in the evil practices which he has so loudly denounced? Is a promoter above the law when he has given a few lakhs of rupees in ostentatious charity; and does Government feel bound to return him ten-fold into his bosom from the public purse as a reward for his disinterested philanthropy? Or perhaps the personal acquaintance of a Secretary to Government is required as a test of a man's character; while the friendship of two or more heads of Departments makes the way of the lucky promoter more pleasant still.

Seriously speaking, the Government is called upon to declare when and how its rules are to be put in abeyance, or else there is no fair dealing possible, no possibility of avoiding disagreeable surmises. Who knows, out of the charmed circle, what negotiations are going on at present to add to the already overgrown concessions of the Elphinstone Land Company, or to the gradual absorption of the whole Colaba foreshore by the Victoria Land Company. Neither of these Associations has, so far as we are aware, ever been required to conform to the Government rules, for what reason the Government best knows. The premium at which the shares of both these Companies stand ought to have warned the Government that it had been "done" before, and led it to test the value of the Back Bay concession by publishing its intention of selling it before letting the property pass from its hand. But no. The whole place is given away on terms, the fairness of which is best shown by the fact that the shares even before allotment are reported to be worth £2,000 premium for a single share. This premium, which the public are willing to pay before operations commence, on 1,600 shares, represents a sum of upwards of three millions sterling, which is the amount at which the public values the concessions gratuitously given to Mr. Scott and his friends by the Bombay Government. If, as is reported, the promoters appropriate 100 shares a piece, they will each pocket the nice little sum of £200,000, even if they choose to retire from the concern before a single spadeful of sand has been turned. How do these facts agree with Colonel Rivers' statement in his Memorandum that the terms of the concession are in the opinion of Government a very sufficient return for the right conceded?

Colonel Rivers states that the concession required from Government was that of a foreshore at present wholly unproductive, and the work of reclamation was not one which admitted of being divided into portions each capable of separate execution with moderate capital. We would like to know the ground for this assumption. Were it not that we are told the contrary by an officer of the high engineering talent of Colonel Rivers, we should have thought it more advantageous for the Government to reclaim Back Bay in detail, even if they did it in the way of progressive concessions to public Companies, and thus to secure the benefit of the increasing value of the ground by placing it in the market gradually instead of throwing the whole space into one hand at a nominal price before the value of the property has been developed.

Perhaps the most ludicrous part of the Government apology is the conclusion come to in winding up, where the belief is expressed that the publication of the correspondence will entirely satisfy any impartial person with regard to the proceedings in the matter. All we can say is, Heaven help the lamb-like confiding trust of such persons!

The *Times of India* in a leading article in its yesterday's issue, dreary and weak in the extreme, and evidently inflicted on the Reverend Editor by some one whom he can't well disoblige, takes notice of our comments on Colonel Rivers' conduct in connection with this Back Bay job. The article, which treats about character and the habit of detraction, appears to have been written with reference to the attacks of the *Times of India* on Mr. Howard, and not to the friendly warning we gave to the heads of Departments that by invidious preferences they lay themselves open to suspicion of indulging in those preferences with a motive. Indeed, the writer of the article is evidently struck with its applicability to the *Times*, and makes a clumsy endeavour to get out of the dilemma by affirming that the attack on Mr. Howard was an exceptional case, and by affecting an exclusive right for the *Times* to criticise the conduct of public servants. The writer winds up with a denial that Colonel Rivers ever possessed a share in a Reclamation Company. We never said he did, and we scarcely see what the statement has to do with the question. The Back Bay shares are not allotted yet. If Colonel Rivers' defender wishes to obliterate the feeling which he (not we) assumes to exist, he had better publish an assurance that neither the Secretary in the Public Works Department nor any other officer of Government concerned in the giving of this concession has any desire or intention to receive, directly or indirectly, an allotment of shares. We do not say that such a declaration is necessary, but it would be more to the point than the disavowal at the end of the *Times of India's* article.

THE mania for speculation which now rages in Bombay must of course lead to the production of many absurd schemes, devised merely for the purpose of extracting money from the pockets of a too susceptible public; and it is also quite clear that, in the present unregulated condition of the money-market—which we are glad to learn it is one of the objects of the new Financial Association to improve—two or three unscrupulous men, commanding the use of almost unlimited capital, have it in their power at any time to raise the price of some particular stock far above its actual and relative value. Still, no one can read the yearly reports and declarations of dividends of several of the Indian Banks, without acknowledging that there exists a very substantial foundation for the popular favour with which Bank shares are regarded, and that there are very good reasons indeed for the eagerness which the public shows to invest its money in the new joint-stock banking enterprizes which have already been started in Bombay. Like all other speculations, the competition to satisfy the demand for more banks may be pushed to such an extreme as will bring ridicule on all concerned in any undertaking of the kind; but, with such figures before us as we have to publish to-day, we cannot say that the limit of legitimate speculation has yet been passed. The report of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China shows, for instance, a profit for the year of more than £100,000 on a capital of £600,000, and a dividend of 10 per cent., coupled with a bonus of 10s. a share, proves what progress this Bank, which two years ago was comparatively unknown, has made under recent management in the esteem and confidence of the public. Look again at the Oriental Bank, which in the face of ever increasing competition steadily maintains its old character, and gives its shareholders a dividend and bonus amounting together to 24 per cent. But the Chartered Mercantile Bank affords the strongest instance of the extraordinary prosperity which Indian Joint Stock Banks are now enjoying. From the statement of affairs dated 31st December last, we learn that the business of the Bank has been increased by about 50 per cent., and that the net profit on the year is £200,831-11-2, or 40 per cent. on the whole capital. We believe we are correct in stating that this is the largest amount of profit made by any single institution which is recorded in the history of joint-stock banking; and it places the Mercantile, with a capital of £750,000 and a reserve fund of not less than £325,000, in the first rank of Indian Banks. It may be added that a very large proportion of the profit has been made in Bombay, where this Bank has always stood in especial favour, and where its position is now second to none. It is impossible not to admit that examples of this kind, showing what can be accomplished by Banks started in Bombay, together with the evidence daily afforded that the increase of the business of the old Banks has forced nearly all of them to increase their capital, seem to suggest that there is yet plenty of room for the establishment of new Banks in our city which shall be as successful as those that are already in existence.

THE Bank of Bombay yesterday reduced its rates of discount two per cent. all round.

WE have much pleasure in stating that letters have been received from the Captain of the *Governor Higginson* announcing the vessel's safe arrival at Aden on the 5th instant, two days after the *Malta* left. A very smooth passage had been experienced, and all were well on board.

THERE are at present in Assam, we learn from Colonel Hopkinson's report, 1,70,000 acres of land, taken up for tea cultivation. Of this area over 27,000 acres are now cleared and planted and afford employment to nearly 28,000 labourers, and to several hundreds of respectable natives engaged on the plantations as Clerks, Mohurrers, Contractors, &c., besides opening out a wide field for European agency.

THE fresh advance in the Bank rate of discount is (says the *Daily News* of the 3rd inst.) viewed with great calmness by the commercial classes. "A few years ago an advance in the value of money to 8 per cent. was regarded as a financial phenomenon suggestive of the gravest circumspection, if not alarm, but it is now regarded with very different feelings. Only a few weeks back a movement precisely similar to that now adopted—viz., a rise from 7 to 8 per cent.—was made by the Bank, but produced no ill effects whatever: on the contrary, by the check which it gave to our foreign outgoings, and by the power of attraction which it exercised upon capital in the relatively cheaper foreign markets, it unquestionably paved the way to do relapse to 6 per cent. subsequently witnessed. There is no reason whatever why the course of the money market should tend to impair confidence now, any more than it did then; and it is far from improbable that the stringent action just taken may hasten the otherwise slow return to more moderate rates of discount. Amongst the considerations which encourage a hopeful reading of the future of the money market, the principal consists in the fact that, though there has been a steady diminution of the Bank's resources for some time past, both as regards bullion and reserve, there is not at present that active foreign drain of gold which at all times has the most potent influence upon the course of financial affairs in this country. The Bank return for the week ending the 20th April showed a decline of only 337,098*l.* in the coin and bullion, and of 222,553*l.* in the reserve, while the return last published, extending to the 27th of April, showed that the ratio of decrease in the bullion had diminished, the falling off for the week being only 175,526*l.*, and at the same time there was an increase of 9,914*l.* in the reserve. If, as these figures, go to prove, the pressure on the Bank's resources was diminishing, under the operation of the rise in the rate of discount form 6 to 7 per cent., it may fairly be expected that the current will be turned in a favourable direction by the additional measure just adopted, the more especially as the value of money is now higher in England than in any of the other leading markets of Europe. In explanation of this anomaly—England being the wealthiest country in the world, and therefore, ordinarily, the cheapest money market—we have only to look, 1st, to the demand upon us for bullion in payment for cotton; 2nd, to the rapid increase of our foreign trade; and 3rd, to the activity lately shown in the introduction of foreign loans and joint-stock enterprise. It would appear, however, that the effects produced by this latter movement have been chiefly *internal* rather than involving a foreign drain. With regard to the second head, there seems to be no belief in any quarter that our extended foreign trade is other than profitable, though entailing delay in the receipt of the returns; while, as respects the consignments of silver in payment for cotton, it would appear that, though the revival of the cotton speculation at Liverpool forms a feature of some importance, the present is not a time when serious apprehensions need be entertained, it being believed that the bulk of the immediate payments to the East have been made."

LIVERPOOL LETTER.

(From our own Correspondent.)

LIVERPOOL, 2ND MAY.

GARIBALDI has departed. Nearly killed with kindness he found his only chance to lie in a speedy retreat, and the man who never showed his back to an enemy has fairly run away from English hand-shakings. Garibaldi is praised on all sides for the rare good sense and unlooked for tact which he displayed. The guest of a Duke, he was still more the welcomed of the people, but he wisely abstained from identifying himself with any political party, and compromised neither his hosts nor his cause by taking advantage of his position or yielding to his temptations. He was visited by the Ministers, the Prince of Wales, and the principal nobility: he was presented by the City of London with her Freedom, and thousands did him honour whenever he appeared in public. He was good natured enough to exhibit himself a whole day at the Crystal Palace and stand any amount of soft sawder and addresses and speeches and the usual stroking we administer to popular pets. And yet for all this the "working men" have got angry and held indignation meetings because he would not stay to be feted to death. The plain truth is that flesh and blood couldn't stand it longer. An invalid, he will long be unfit for great exertion, and found himself all at once in face of a campaign the most arduous he had yet undergone: his experience of London, delightful in one way, made the idea of a tour in the provinces appalling; he wisely resolved to offend none by avoiding all: he has gone, let us hope, to save his health and his genius for his country's coming opportunity. Some wiseacres, however, have tried to imbue the populace with the notion that his sudden exit was due to a hint from Government. Lord Clarendon has been in Paris: of course, the thing was as clear as day: Napoleon told him that honour to Garibaldi was a slight to him: Clarendon tells Russell "the Emperor won't have it, John": "nothing to do with it," says Pam, "John can do as he likes": "well Gladstone," says John, "you're a particular friend you know: just give the General a hint"—and the thing was done. It need hardly be said there was not the least foundation for this absurd and vulgar explanation of a simple fact.

Parliamentary doings have of late not been particularly interesting. The most important measure which has been introduced this Session as affecting the commercial world is Mr. Scholefield's Bill for extending the principle of limited liability to private firms. Having admitted this principle *as* a principle, the present measure is a natural result, and its operation may check the growing practice of turning private concerns into Joint Stock Companies, and the formation of public associations for purposes which are better managed by a smaller body of partners.

The Conference has met at last, but it only assembles twice a week, the usual references to headquarters for instructions go on, and the traditions of circumlocution are religiously observed—as becomes diplomatists and big wigs. France and England have demanded an armistice, but the Germans demur; they have written for orders and if they gain nothing else they will gain delay. Every day that passes strengthens the position of the Allies in the field and weakens that of the hard pressed Danes, for Duppel has fallen at last before the irresistible artillery and overwhelming numbers of the Prussians and after the hopeless but determined defence of the Danes. The Prussians will not be envied of the laurels which they have won from an overmatched antagonist, while the reckless and wicked bombardment of Sonderborg remains a stain upon their military honour. The accounts of the fall of Duppel are cruel enough, of the annihilation of the defences by a fearful cannonade, of the storming of the works, of the flight and slaughter of the Danes. It is feared that Danish obstinacy will still defend the Island of Alsen which is now in reality untenable, while the Allies are pressing into Jutland, and seem resolved to increase the guarantee which they already possess. This catastrophe, however, while it will endue the Danes with a perpetual hatred of the Germans, must clear the way for the labours of the Conference: if Danish valour does not know when it is beaten there must be a limit somewhere to German demands, while it is confidently believed that the late mission of Lord Clarendon to the Emperor Napoleon has been so successful, that the two Governments have resolved upon a common course of action and will advise in a manner not to be misunderstood. It may, therefore, be taken for granted that peace is very close at hand. The Germans can hardly want more than they have got, and in settling matters after the fight France and England will insist on reasonable terms for both sides. Indeed Continental markets already show the influence of these hopes, and an export demand is not the smallest of the sources of the activity which at present characterises our cotton market.

The Emperor of Mexico is at last *en route* for his depopulated country and demoralised people. If order were secured and labour made plentiful in that richest and most miserable of countries, not only would the trade of the world in general be augmented, but a serious competitor would be admitted to the ranks of the cotton-growing countries. The capabilities of Mexico in this respect are vast, and the quality of the staple superior, but the production is at present barely equal to home requirements and does not exceed 25,000 bales per annum. But it will take long years of patience and of toil to redeem the desolation of a land which thirty years of man's wickedness have not utterly ruined. The House of Representatives in Washington has passed a resolution adhering to the Monroe doctrine and hostile to the new Empire; but it will be time enough to listen to the bluster of Americans when their power again equals their insolence; and, meanwhile, it seems not improbable that ere long they may have an opportunity nearer home of judging of the merits of a military monarchy.

News has just arrived that a very serious insurrection has broken out in Algeria and the dominions of the Bey of Tunis. It is feared that the rising is one general to the tribes of the north; and in that case an outlet may be found which will absorb French restlessness for long enough, and thus give us a further guarantee for the peace of Europe.

From America the news is that by the capture of Fort Pillow the Confederates are again in command of the Mississippi. The weather in Virginia is good, and an early movement of the army of the Potamac under Grant is expected. In the meantime it is well understood that the Southerners are better prepared than ever to meet the invader. As I write the "Persia's" telegram brings the news that General Banks has been totally routed at a place called Pleasant Hill in Louisiana; he states his loss at 2,000 men but the Confederates call it 14,000, and it is certain that his artillery, stores, and ammunition are in the hands of the victors. The Federals have also been driven from Black River in the rear of Vicksburg, and it is rumoured that General Lee is moving north of the Rapidan.

The price of gold and the value of stocks have of late fluctuated most violently in New York. Gold after touching 89 is quoted under date of 20th April at 69, Bankers bills 184¼, commercial 183. There is, however, a terrible panic in the stockmarket, and Government Securities have fallen from 107 to 50 per cent. It is not to be inferred from this that a final crisis is approaching: there are but few who believe that exhaustion on the part of the South or disgust on the part of the North will lead to an early termination of hostilities. A war of this magnitude cannot collapse in a week, and there are symptoms that a condition of warfare is becoming chronic. It is said that at the capture of Fort Pillow all the black soldiers were put to death: Lincoln has already threatened retaliation, and such a course would have results more disastrous than any which have yet occurred. The existing crop of cotton must by this time be getting wasted and exported. America will soon have none to give us, and were the war to cease to-morrow it would be found that her power of production had been seriously impaired. Let then any near news from America be received calmly not to say doubtfully; there is no probability of the war being ended for the next two years, and if it stayed at once peace would not immediately give us cotton.

There is an uneasiness about the money market which portends perhaps an early raising of the Bank-rate. The Bank's stock of bullion has largely decreased, and the reserve of coin and notes is rather less than that third of its liabilities which is supposed to be necessary for it to retain. The cotton we shall have to pay for increases in amount, as the following comparison of imports for the first three months of years will show: imported from 1st January to 31st March in

1862	1863	1864
574,138 cwt.	793,036 cwt.	1,131,968 cwt.

but then we must remember our exports which in part at all events pay for our supply have also largely increased: our exports to India were in

1862	1863	1864.
£ 2,074,600	£ 1,355,255	£ 3,206,443

Both these sets of figures are from the Board of Trade Returns. Meanwhile the schemes for investing British capital, already largely absorbed in the exports noted above, continue to increase, and it is not uncharitable to say that a large number of them will not survive the first commercial storm. Many, however, will really "supply a want universally felt" as the advertisements say, and will do well.

The Asiatic Bank Corporation ranks high in opinion here. An "Eastern Bank" also has been started with headquarters in Liverpool, but its direction though respectable is not very striking. I had written so far when a London telegram informed me that the Bank rate had just been raised to 8 per cent., so my anticipations have been realised rather sooner than I expected. I observe that some rumours which might be alarming if read wrongly will go out by this mail—I mean the rumours of the English fleet being ordered to the Baltic. It is not improbable and I hear that the French fleet will follow. But I consider this news much more pacific than it sounds. An Austrian fleet is under sail for the north, and, with the Prussian ships, would be more than a match for the Danes, England and France, as I said before having resolved that an armistice is necessary, have also resolved to enforce it: and the presence of their combined fleets in the Baltic, if they really go there, will simply have the effect of compelling a cessation of hostilities. As I write late telegrams confirm the idea that an armistice will immediately be agreed to. The Western powers are getting tired of German absurdity and rapacity, they don't like the idea of another Sinope and have made up their minds "to stand no nonsense."

The Manchester market is decidedly better. Of course the activity of the Liverpool cotton market stimulates it, but apart from this there is a legitimate trade demand both from home and the Continent, and though the advices from your side have not been all they might have been, yet they too are better and encourage business. Both cloths and yarns are dearer, and a brisk business is going on in both at advancing prices.

The question of supply of the raw material is forcing itself upon the attention of spinners, who, in view of an increased consumption of their productions, are seeking to provide themselves against the future by purchases for distant arrival. A very large business has in consequence been done for arrival during the past week, and the more distant parcels have obtained relatively the highest prices. New crop Dhollera May shipment has been sold at 22¾d. and September delivery Bengals at 17d., while a very extensive business has been done in Chinas, 19¼d. per lb. having been paid for March shipment. On the spot the business of the fortnight has been very large and the advance steady and gradual, and it has only been within the last few days that excitement has been visible. Long stapled cottons have been very much run upon. American is exceedingly scarce, so that good East India on arrival will be very readily taken up. The inferior kinds of Surats which had been very much depressed have also experienced a great revival and have been taken in considerable quantity for export. The advance on the fortnight may be quoted at ¼d. to 1d. per lb. for East India, ½d. for Chinas, and 2d. per lb. for long stapled kinds. The average trade deliveries for the last six weeks, it may be well to notice, have been 39,000 bales per week, showing a very marked increase in the rate of consumption while our stock, though it has increased in East India sorts, has on the whole diminished to 9 weeks' supply, as compared with the demand. Our stock is estimated at 366,500 bales, while there are at sea 253,000 bales. But of these we should remember that a large proportion consists of light bales and inferior cotton.

Our public wool sales begin to-morrow and great things are expected in the way of prices. The stock of East India to be brought forward is only 9,600 bales, the average of past years being 15,000. The trade demand is steadily increasing, and it is plain that stocks are quite inadequate to the requirements of manufacturers. The stock of East India wool afloat is 15,021 bales against 17,035 bales last year.

The long continued dry weather, which however was broken yesterday by a most refreshing rain, has been very much in favour of the seed market; good Bombay linseed is worth to-day 65s. 6d. The stock of rapeseed is very small, and shipments from India so far do not reach the half of last year's. Guzerat is held for 70s. per quarter.

There is not much change in the Freight market and homeward charters are few. 55s. to 60s. is asked. Outwards weight continues to be scarce. Goods are taken at 20s. to 25s.

PARIS LETTER.

(From our own Correspondent.)

PARIS, 3RD MAY.

THE telegram of the fall of Duppel most probably caught up the last outward mail. Many particulars have since then accumulated, and the judgment arrived at by military men is that the defence was not worthy of the Danish nation. It is true the men were to some degree worn out by overwork; that their case was desparate and that they could not contend against the formidable Prussian artillery. But this was no reason why they should have allowed themselves to be surprised in broad daylight. When the Prussian assault was made General Gerlach was ill and most of his staff asleep. More than one fort was in the hands of the enemy before the news of the attack oozed into headquarters. The confusion and slaughter which followed needs no further explanation. Prussian artillery with its 60,000 missiles had sadly disfigured the Danish batteries, and Prussian engineers had pushed their parallels to within 300 yards of the line of defence. Still the redoubts were formidable enough if well defended to have checked assault or at all events to have made it pay dearly for its victory. However, in an evil hour Denmark slept and about 5,000 men in killed, wounded, and prisoners paid the forfeit of this carelessness.

The latest news we have now is that a part of the remnant of the Danish army which got on to Alsen Island has been left unmolested by the Prussian guns. From Fredericia the Danes have retired before the Austrians who were waiting for guns. Nothing more remains of Denmark on European mainland. The old sea kings have retired to their island.

To-day the Conference would have met in London but for the drawing-room and expectation is on tip-toe. It is known that the English fleet has gone round to the Downs and some add that a French division will soon join, and the combined squadrons get into the Baltic to see what can be done. The British fleet was to have stopped Austrian ships, but now Austrian ships they say will not go. The fact is they have turned back, a lion being in the path. All is uncertainty and each man one meets in the street has his own version. The Emperor holds coldly aloof. He follows his usual policy of waiting on events rather than creating them. Lord Cowley, ambassador, has gone to London to unravel as best he can Imperial sentiments. His Majesty may well hesitate about plunging into war, having run France rather further than she likes into debt. Still the whole country cries shame on the big Germans who stand unmercifully pounding their small neighbour. In the union thus cemented France sees the ghost of that Holy Alliance raised by Pitt. The Austrian and Russian Emperors are about to meet at Kissengen. The position is becoming like that prior to Austerlitz. However the Inscrutable remains inscrutable and he drives out every afternoon in his phaeton with a friend at his side, and a couple of grooms in green and gold behind him, just as if Europe were not impatient for His Majesty to make up his mind and decide one way or another. The French papers of this evening think they see England crouching for a spring and sing lusty peans. Meanwhile with a delayed Conference Marshal Wrangel is levying black-mail through Jutland. He has already demanded a sum equivalent to £15,000, the country is poor and has replied to this summons that it would sooner submit to be pillaged. Strength made the Prussian side unpopular; success increased that unpopularity, and now harsh measures and the lengths to which the two powers appear inclined to go have filled the cup to overflowing. Prussia many years ago got Silesia after a long and unjust war: she now hopes in some general scramble to keep and hold the disputed Duchies.

It was an artful dodge worthy of a certain personage in Oliver Twist of the British aristocracy to monopolise the famed Italian Chief. Garibaldi went to the people and they received him not; they wished to do so but were not allowed. The Democrats in this country who love all oppressed nationalities but their own growl discontent at the manœuvre. Nevertheless Victor Hugo who has established himself at Hauteville House, Guernsey, has written a touching epistle to the illustrious and honest Italian. He says that Guernsey and Caprera shall meet one of these days; he tells Garibaldi how he admires his noble character and what a splendid triumph has been his first to have liberated Italy, and then to have been so welcomed to England. How strange this French feeling towards our country! A couple of years ago whilst reading over the military history of that fine soldier, General Foy, who, after having fallen wounded at Hougoumont, became a distinguished orator of the restoration, I was much struck with his remarks on England. He said England was like Napoleon but Napoleon always young and always active: that many of the officers at the famous camp at Boulogne, although they would have dearly liked to have struck England a heavy blow, would have been sorry to have seen her invaded and erased from the European map. There was everywhere amongst thinking men a feeling that that land whose white cliffs they could so plainly see from Ambleteuse was the last refuge of liberty. And how many celebrated Frenchmen have I not by seen in the streets of London driven thither political events. We have many such admirers here as Victor Hugo and General Foy, men who would like to beat us and borrow from us.

The belief is strong here that Garibaldi's sudden departure was owing to a hint from Gladstone that his presence was an embarrassment to the Government. It must have been so when we remember that he visited in the morning Mazzini, received a flag with Rome and Venice on it in the afternoon, and dined with Lord Palmerston in the evening. The Pope, Louis Napoleon, and Francis Joseph all insulted in one day. Some French people wonder how Garibaldi can hate them. A well informed journal has pointed out to them the reason. France is an Empire; Garibaldi is a republican. This paper might have added that Louis Napoleon in spite of his pleged word stole Savoy and Nice, making Garibaldi a French subject. There might have been added too the capture of Rome. Garibaldi held the holy city, the key of Italian unity, when Oudinot was sent against him. Oudinot laid siege, and after a time agreed to a truce: the day before the truce expired he took the city by surprise. A good many lives were thus saved, but Garibaldi has never forgotten the trick.

However the patriot has got to sea and has steamed off. As to his ulterior movements opinions differ. Some say that he has been furnished with funds in England, and that he will land at some point on the Neapolitan territory and make a sudden dash on Rome. Those who watched him closely during his stay in England still see in him the man of action. Pius IX. had better beware and War Minister Cardinal Merode look to his military means.

The Pope's health has for a long time been giving uneasiness. *Le Monde*, a Catholic paper, states that whoever makes allusion to the Pontiff's illness appeals to assassination. The *Monde* has made all Paris laugh, but the Pope's state of health may create difficulties even if Garibaldi allows the old man to die in peace. Turin has asked instructions from Paris in case the Holy Father should die, and Paris has answered that in that event taking place the Sacred College should be sufficiently protected. Pius IX. has generally passed for an amiable old gentleman with a leg like the late Lord Aldborough. With increasing disease his good nature appears passing away. He has just sanctioned an encyclical letter condemning the opinions of Montalembert, a very fervid but tolerant Catholic, and he himself has abused Russia with a passion seldom shown by any mere temporal sovereign. He fell foul of the Czar on the Polish question: he spared the autocrat no invective for daring to do what he (Christ's Vicar) would not presume to attempt. Doubtless the Czar has grievously offended all Catholicism in sending to Siberia the Catholic Bishop of Warsaw and in endeavoring to extirpate with the sword the Catholic religion in Poland. How curious to consider that Garibaldi's last words on quitting England were "do not forget Poland." The Pope appeals in favour of that country too: the one pleads in behalf of liberty, the other for religion.

You will not regret to hear that Algeria is in revolt and that French troops are marching rapidly to the sea coast and hurrying over to help the Duke of Malakoff in his trouble. Headquarters are not satisfied with the Duke; it is said he has been dilatory. However, he is determined none but officials shall learn the real state of affairs; he has put a heavy heel on the throat of all Algerian journalism. No paper in that Colony is to allude to the disturbances. One can only judge here of what proportion the insurrection has assumed from the 10,000 men hastily despatched and the fleet of steam frigates gone off to Tunis. An old prophecy said in '64 the Arabs should shake off foreign domination; some sort of Saviour was expected. Rough old Pelissier unbelieving as most of his countrymen took no heed of these prognostics. With or without the Saviour expected the Arabs rose and pounced on several detachments. One detachment of 35 men made a most gallant retreat; surrounded by hostile cavalry it marched 40 leagues in 36 hours and that on a small quantity of coffee and biscuit. Only three men fell out and one reported himself a couple of days afterwards; he had received a bullet in his shoulder and a nasty knife wound. The Arabs behaved like bears; every time that the French soldiers threw down some baggage they stopped to examine and fight over it. This probably saved the detachment. Another one was not so fortunate; it was entirely cut to pieces and the Colonel was killed whilst changing his shirt.

The Emperor of Mexico has at last got under weigh; he passed Gibraltar and got saluted by the dock; he also passed close to Caprera and had Garibaldi been there he might have witnessed the government of a new Empire going out to rule with iron. The Mexican loan has been introduced in the European Markets and to judge of the New Empire after the stocks the look out is bad. Mexicans are already at a discount. The Lower House in Washington has voted nem. dice that the creation of the New Empire is badly looked on in America. The House was of opinion that the Monroe doctrine should be enforced. When the news of this decision reached France it was ridiculed and the Government papers reminded brother Jonathan how he had knocked under in the Trent affair. However between the Trent and Mexican affairs lies this difference: the Trent resolution not to give up Slidell and Mason was hastily passed. The resolution not to have a Mexican Empire was voted after due consideration; the matter had first been reported on by the Committee of Foreign Affairs. On this report the Lower House deliberated and came to its conclusion. Mr. Lincoln has since persuaded the Senate to adjourn all debates on the matter *sine die*. It is clear that the Confederate States have been sacrificed to Mexico. However, when the next election comes on the opponents of Mr. Lincoln will have a strong cry against him. Europe will then see if there is any national representation across the Atlantic.

The spring meetings are taking place here at present and every Sunday the lovely drive to the Bois de Boulogne is thronged with carriages. Those who from one principle or another don't frequent the turf on the Sabbath turn out to witness the return from the races, and the sight is worth seeing. It is as different from the return from the Derby as the Epsom-downs are from Goodwood. Animation is certainly wanting; there is none of the business-like tone and the boisterous fun which spin home in happy-go-lucky fashion from the British course. Here the sight is rather imposing than gay; the equipages are splendid, and the toilettes show a conception and delicacy which repay those who refrain from the actual sin of seeing the English jockies on French horses. Crowds of our staid country-women hover about the road home with most criminal thoughts in their hearts. I have not heard of any famous French horse this year. Count Lagrange and other Gallic sportsmen are trying their fortunes over the water where they do not seem to have been very successful. Racing is certainly making great progress here every year, that is to say larger stakes are run for and there are more of them, but it is not an institution of the country. Captain Manly says in the Plain Dealer—"Sir, a joke becomes you about as much as a sailor becomes a horse." The Frenchman if nautical nowhere else is so in his saddle; he is never more at home than when he is not in it. A few gentlemen devoted to English tastes such as Viscount Talou who rode so well in the Crimea may really like horse flesh, but with the generality of Frenchmen what in England is a passion with them is merely a fashion. The "pretty horse breaker" mania, owing probably to the freaks of commerce has come greatly into vogue. A few years ago and a side saddle was a thing to be stared at, but now quantities of lovely unprotected ones with short habits, and not over good ones if rumour does not lie, may be seen in "Rotten Row" and Shady Alley.

When the last mail left we were all on the point of fêting our great national poet. All nations were bowing down the knee to that superb genius. The banquets and speeches and ceremonials are over now. Even as far north as Russia the memory of Shakespeare was honoured and a genial bumper filled in celebration of his genius. To Paris this intellectual pleasure was denied by a paternal government. The French authorities saw in Shakspearian laudation the germ of a political demonstration. The proposed banquet over which Victor Hugo as high priest of the romantic school was to have presided in spirit was nipped in the bud. The English banquet also expired. On the French table was to have been placed a chair covered with crape to signify the great Hugo's non-presence, and when a joint banquet was at first proposed the French insisted that the health of the Emperor should not be given. Georges Sand before being made aware of the decision of the police had written to the French Committee:—

"In my name propose the health of Shakspeare, who is the highest amongst us, for he has overcome Voltaire and escaped safe and sound from his powerful grasp. Some other day we will fête Voltaire. Our triumph will be to have set up all our divinities in one temple and to have understood that all genius comes from God—that God to whom every good path leads and whose temple is truth." So wrote the brilliant sceptical authoress. At Frankfort on the fête day a rather curious scene took place. There also a banquet was given and the hall was hung round with the chief illustrations of Shakespeare's brain—Hamlet, Othello, &c. Germany in the hour of its great triumph over Denmark could not abstain from being political to the hindrance of England. Sir Alexander Malet, an old Diplomat, made answer. He alluded perhaps rather too pointedly to the story of the Jew in the "Merchant of Venice" and the old dusty parchment upon which be sought to establish his claim to a pound of blood. The blood of all the diet was roused at this typical sketch and the banquet broke up inharmoniously.

The Exhibition of paintings has now been opened. May brings many good things: its races on the green turf; its bands in the Parks; and its high art. The Emperor a few days before public admittance viewed this year's collection accompanied by three or four persons. His Majesty paused before most of the military pieces of which there are not such overwhelming numbers as usual. The painting, however, which attracted him most was the "Prince Imperial" by Winterhalter. What a difference there was between the heavy thoughtful brow of the father and the free cheerful look of the son. Louis XVII, and the young King of Rome in what misery did they end their days! No one here has the slightest notion of who shall rule France next. On the 2nd May I saw another man at the Exhibition worth gazing at—General Changarnier so celebrated for his retreat from Constantine. He at the same time as Napoleon aimed at the purple. Louis when President offered Changarnier the command of the troops—to make him constable—to do anything for him if he would only fall down and worship him. Changarnier refused and was snapped up during the *coup d'etat*. He now lives at Autun on £150 a year, but he always keeps £4,000 at his banker's in case France should rise. He daily expects a rising and one of those second chances which never come. In the room of honour is one charming picture of angels playing at "blind man's buff." One little cherub is pushing another in the way of the one blindfolded and the expression of these figures is delightful. The canvas put me in mind of some French verses which have been thus translated. Jupiter orders diversions and selects blind man's buff, a most appropriate God-like amusement quite in keeping with the Olympic games. Jove after a few preliminary remarks says:—

Prepare the 'kerchief draw the lot,
Thus Jove commands. Enough!
Lot fell on Sol: the stars were struck
At such an instance of ill-luck.
Then Luna forward came,
And bound with gentle, modest hand,
O'er his bright brow the maudlin band:
Hence mortal learned the game.

The object of the author was to show the origin of Eclipses.

You will hear with regret that the celebrated Meyerbeer is dead. This great Master was born at Berlin in 1794. His first opera was "Jephtha" and his last the "Algerienne" produced little more than a year ago. "The Hugenots," "The Prophête" and "Robert le Diables" what a brilliant series of successes! Rossini still lives here living on the fruit of his early triumphs. He may be often seen of an evening sauntering along the Boulevards.

Lord Palmerston threw France into white fury the other night when he spoke of men trying to sink harbours in deep mud and shallow water. The Emperor has decided all the difficulties between the Suez Company and the Ottoman Government. His decision will not be known for some short time, but in anticipation M. Lesseps has announced that he intends giving up that hateful system of forced labour which he stuck to so pertinaciously a short while ago.

We have another Japanese embassy here sent over to try and get France and England to revoke a late treaty opening certain ports. The mission will fail. Ykedachi-kingo-no-kami is the head

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Ambassador's name and by those who know him he is said to be a charming diplomatist. If these men go home with an unsatisfactory reply they will be sent up country to make silk trousers.

An action was lately brought by a bill discounter against Viscount Talleyrand de Perigord. This young French nobleman had paid with paper one Léonie Lebauactrice for favours received. When the bills came to maturity the Viscount allowed them to be protested. Holder sued and obtained judgment. However at the time these bills were accepted a Judicial decision had deprived the Viscount of the management of his property. There was an appeal on this count and it was added that the holder was a man who supplied gay ladies with goods in the hope of being paid by their protectors. The Court not only quashed the first judgment but ordered the unfortunate Des Florins to give up the bills and pay costs. The bills amounted to £2,000. In England Mr. Windham was declared by a British Jury fit to manage his property. He has since proved his administrative capabilities. These things are managed differently here where roguery is not allowed to prey on foolish youth.

No small stir was created here when it was known that a French Artist had been assassinated in his studio at Rome. M. Allard lived with his mother and wife and worked hard at the old masters. One day he was found with his skull fractured. His watch had been filched, but his money was untouched. It seems that as heads fascinate the savage so are the Romans fascinated by the sight of a watch. The man suspected has been arrested; he had been engaged to stand as a model of Judas Iscariot. He fully entered into his rôle.

The French Government has purchased the *Great Eastern*. This is rather humiliating, that England should allow the largest ship ever constructed to become naturalised in a foreign port.

MILITARY LETTER.

(From our own Correspondent.)

LONDON, 2ND MAY.

MILITARY news is scanty at present, therefore my letter will be short. The *Renown* and *St. Lawrence* with the 8th Hussars on board have arrived at Portsmouth, from whence the regiment has been sent on to Brighton where at present it is to be stationed. In a few weeks the 78th Highlanders will probably proceed from Dover to the Curragh, an accession of troops having been already received at Dover in the shape of the 1st Battalion 13th Regiment. It is thought that some time next year the 78th will be sent to the Mediterranean. The 92nd Highlanders will, on the arrival of the 74th Highlanders replace them at Edinburgh, change quarters to Glasgow.

Two important appointments are about to be made among the General Officers. Major General Sir Robert Walpole—the hero of Rewa where Brigadier Hope was killed—finding the climate of Gibraltar unsuited to his constitution, applied to be relieved from the command of the troops at that garrison. His request has been complied with in the most gentlemanlike manner, and Sir Robert has not only been recalled from Gibraltar but promised the command at Chatham on the expiration of General Eyre's period of office, which will take place next month. Sir Robert's successor at Gibraltar is to be Major General Crutchley without any claims or war service whatever. Major Maxse, Lieutenant Governor of Heligoland, has been appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of that island.

Among the circulars lately received from the Horse Guards are one fixing the price of cotton shirts at 3s. 2d., another expressing the Commander-in-Chief's approbation of the "intrepid and gallant conduct" of Lieutenant Philp, Cornet Sanderson, Sergeant Masturson, and Privates Regan, Jones, Neilson, and Pentland of the Scots Greys, on the occasion of the explosion of the magazine at Birmingham a short time back; and a third regarding certain alterations in the manner of entering crimes in the Company's defaulters book. Two columns are for the future to be added, one for the place of the commission of the offence, another for the red ink number in cases of drunkenness. Henceforth also only the purport and not the words of charges before courts-martial are to be entered. In trials for habitual drunkenness the crime constituting the last offence is to be entered in the "offence" columns, and the letters H. D. in red ink in the "cases of drunkenness" column. In trials for disgraceful conduct the generic heading is to be given in the "offence" column with the specific crime added thus: "disgraceful conduct," "theft," "embezzlement," &c. In trials for insubordination the offence is to be entered according to its nature thus: "disobedience of orders," "striking his superior officer," &c. Some abbreviations are also sanctioned as "confinement to barracks," C. B. "Imprisonment with hard labour," Impr. H. L. "Solitary confinement." S. C. "Penal servitude" P. S. Certain other details for the guidance of captains of companies for which I refer your readers to the circular itself.

I am sorry to have to mention on the authority of the *Irish Times* that large numbers of the limited service men are taking their discharge, and thus from the mismanagement of the authorities we are losing the very cream of our army. The chief cause of this is the order which provided that men re-enlisting within six months of taking their discharge could only claim half their back service. An alteration I believe is in contemplation, but in the meantime much mischief has been done. I find I have omitted to mention in its proper place a very important order just received which enables the soldier who is allowed to reckon one year's extra service for the siege of Lucknow to count the same towards the grant and restoration of good conduct pay.

In the obituary for the past fortnight occurs the name of Lieut. General John Geddes, K.H., Colonel of the 27th Regiment, who died at Edinburgh on the 28th April. The deceased entered the army in 1804 and served with the 27th in Calabria in 1806, at the capture of the island of Procida in 1809, in Sicily in 1810, and in the Peninsula including the battles of Nive, Nivelle, Orthes, and Toulouse, at which last place he was severely wounded.

The *Army and Navy Gazette* contains some interesting details concerning the French army. It appears that in 1856 the Government voted £200,000 for the establishment of an endowment office with a view of providing substitutes for those willing to pay for exemption from the conscription; such has been the success of this institution that, besides carrying out the object for which it was founded, it is enabled to grant the discharged soldier a sum which makes up his pension to 365 francs after 25 year's service. Formerly he used only to receive 200 francs per annum, and for this he had to serve 30 years. The manner in which the endowment fund has become so rich is as follows: The individual who wishes to be exempted from the conscription pays the fund £100, while the directors of the fund can obtain substitutes for only £80.

A biography of the celebrated General Wolfe has appeared, the author being Mr. Wright. The book is too lengthy, a large number of Wolfe's letters being given in full, and contains little that is new, but it is nevertheless well written and possesses considerable interest both for the military student and the general reader. Colburn's *United Service Magazine* for May is much the same as usual. There is a good article on the important subject of the re-enlistment of time-expired men, and the first instalment of a new military novel called *Oswald Hastings* by W. W. Knollys. The news of the abandonment of Fredericia by the Danes is confirmed.

BOMBAY.

WE hear that Messrs. W. Nicol & Co. have obtained a perpetual lease of Tank Bunder at a rental of Rs. 30,000 a year.

SIR ALEXANDER GRANT, Bart., assumed charge of the Office of Director of Public Instruction on the 13th instant.

AT the recommendation of the Commissioner in Sind, Mr. Chintamun Succaram has been appointed Moonsiff at Sukkur.

MR. H. M. BIRDWOOD has been confirmed as Under-Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department, and Secretary to the Council for making Laws and Regulations from the 29th June 1863.

WE understand that the Financial Association of India and China have secured the services as Manager of Mr. A. Mackintosh, at present Manager of the Sind Bank.

MR. CAMERON, the newly appointed Judge and Session Judge of Surat, arrived at that station on Tuesday, the 16th instant, from Ahmedabad. We learn from a correspondent from Ahmedabad that an address was presented to this gentleman by the inhabitants of Ahmedabad, before his departure to Surat.

JUDOONATHJEE MAHARAJ, the prosecutor in the notorious Maharaj Libel Case is at present in custody of the authorities at Oodepore, on a criminal charge; and we understand, that he has sent a telegram to Bombay to one of his friends to engage a professional gentleman on his behalf, and to send him to Oodeypoor.

THE COOMBARWARRA STREET MURDER CASE.—An adjourned Inquest was held yesterday forenoon at the Coroner's Chambers in the Fort to record their verdict of the Jury in this case, the particulars of which were reported in our issue of Wednesday last the 25th instant.

Previous to the verdict being recorded, the prisoner after being cautioned in the usual form, made the following admission of his guilt:—"I committed the act: I have nothing to say."

VERDICT.—"Wilful Murder against Baloo Raghoo."

The prisoner was then fully committed for trial at the ensuing Sessions of the High Court on the Coroner's warrant on the capital charge.

SOME excellent specimens of the Dentist's art have been received from England by Mr. Gabriel. Those who are afflicted with indigestion resulting from lost teeth, should pay this gentleman a visit; they may rely on being well repaid for the trouble.

AN eminent Solicitor of Bombay while returning from a visit to the Vehar Lake on the 24th instant, met with an accident by the upsetting of the buggy which he was driving. Beyond some damage to the nasal organ, and a few bruises, the occupants of the vehicle were comparatively unhurt.

THE steamer *Telegraph*, belonging to the Coast and River Steam Navigation Company, was towed into harbour yesterday morning by the *Maharaj*, another steamer belonging to the same Company. The *Telegraph* left this for Surat on the 24th instant, and when off Damaum broke her screw shaft. She returns with all her Surat passengers and cargo.

THE following vessels have passed St. Helena:—
Windsor Castle, Bomby to London, March 28.
Gorilla, Bombay to Liverpool, off Ascension, March 27.
Gosforth, Bombay to London, March 27.
City of Delhi, Bombay to Liverpool, March 20.
Queen of the North, from hence, left Table Bay, March 19, bound to London.

THE *James Smith*, from Bombay, arrived at Liverpool May 3rd, reports having experienced very bad weather off the Cape during which the vessel sprung a dangerous leak; and made so much water that it was with great difficulty she was kept afloat. It is expected the cargo is all more or less damaged in consequence.

CONSIDERABLE uneasiness is felt for the safety of the ships *Mistress of the Seas*, 1796 tons, and *Tinto*, 694 tons, bound from Calcutta to Bombay. They left Calcutta on the 10th and 13th March last, and although several vessels which sailed a long time after them have arrived and discharged no tidings have as yet been received of the above vessels.

THE *Birkby*, Purdy, London to Bombay, was off the Isle of Wight, May 3rd, windbound.
Ann Halzberg, hence to Liverpool, was spoken 22nd April standing S.W. lat. 22 S. long. 57-15 E.
Marlborough, Calcutta to London, Porteous, master, has put into the Mauritius leaky, and must discharge for repairs.
Sailor Prince, London to Bombay, was spoken 21st April—all well.

THE DURBAR.—The Durbar held in Poona in honour of the Queen's birth-day, was most numerously attended. Mr. Gonne, Acting Agent for Sirdars, presided on the occasion. He was assisted by Mr. Moroba Cannoba, Judge of the Small Cause Court. There were upwards of two hundred Nobles, Sirdars, and Gentlemen of Poona and its vicinity present, who were presented with the usual flowers, pân, and âtar of roses. Great loyalty was exhibited on the part of all who were present; and Mr. Gonne and Mr. Moroba Cannoba, on the part of the Bombay Government, expressed themselves highly gratified at the exhibition of fealty, and attachment, to the Majesty of England, which had characterized the proceedings of the day.—*Deccan Herald.*

THE ADULTERY CASE COMMITTED TO THE SESSIONS.—Herman Wientraube was committed yesterday, by F. L. Brown, Esq., Magistrate of Police, to take his trial at the next Criminal Sessions of the High Court, on a charge of committing adultery with one Nina Felmon, wife of Jacob Felmon, one of the proprietors of the late Prussian Hotel.

Mr. Lynch, who appeared for the defence, made a few observations on the general merits of the case, after which he requested His Worship to take the evidence of the prosecutor's wife. His Worship observed that a *prima facie* case had been already made out against the defendant, and that he was not bound to hear the evidence for the defence. Upon this Mr. Lynch stated that his client was not a married man, and if His Worship were to send him to take his trial at the High Court, he would mar all his future prospects and reduce him to the condition of a ruined man. The Magistrate said that he had nothing to do with that, but he thought it a *prima facie* case, and, therefore, should send it to the High Court.

The prisoner was allowed to give bail for his appearance at the ensuing Sessions.

FROM files of Mauritius papers to hand by the mail we learn that the *Africa*, R. Bowie, Master, put into Port Louis leaky on the 22nd of April. In lat. 1 deg. S., and long. 70 E., she encountered a strong breeze, with a very heavy sea, which caused the ship to make more water than usual, and the leak went on increasing. In still water she made 18 inches per hour. The *Africa* left Bombay for Liverpool on the 16th of March, with a cargo of cotton, wool, linseed and hemp. The *Inconstant*, which sailed from hence for New York on the 22nd of March put into Port Louis on the 23rd of April to have her topsides caulked, and to get new topmasts. The ship *Hyde*, from Bombay 11th March for Calcutta with salt, was in quarantine at the Mauritius on the 28th of April with small-pox and fever existing on board. The *Marlborough*, T. L. Porteous, master, from Calcutta to London with a general cargo, was forced to go into Port Louis on the 4th of May, on account of a leak. Several ships report having experienced a cyclone about the 28th and 29th of April, and the French ship *Bernardin de St. Pierre*, of 576 tons, from Port Louis to Calcutta in ballast, put back on the 4th of May totally dismasted. The report states that on the 24th April, at 2.30 A. M., lat. 14° 22' S. & long 61° 41' E. (P.) experienced a very severe hurricane which lasted 48 hours. Wind commenced at S. E. and ended N. W., round by Westward. Ship was thrown on her beam ends, and had to cut away the three masts.

HUNT AND CO.'S BANKRUPTCY.—According to announcement, a meeting of the creditors of the firm of Hunt and Co., the senior partner in which is *non est inventus*, and supposed to be on his way to Port Natal, was held yesterday afternoon at 4 P. M. in Church Gate Street, when some sixty or seventy interested parties attended, amongst whom were a few Europeans. The Chair was taken by Mr. Acland, Solicitor, and it was agreed between that gentleman and Mr. Keir, Solicitor, who represented the creditors of the firm, that there was no objection to the Reporters of the Press being present. Our Reporter then took his seat, and was taking down the heads of Mr. Acland's statement to the creditors, when a number of these worthies at the head of whom was a notorious Parsee of the name of Manockjee Pestonjee Tuback, raised an outcry against the proceedings of the meeting being reported in the papers. There being others than creditors of the firm in the room, our Reporter objected to being made the only victim of the exclusive system; and as Mr. Tuback insisted on the meeting being a private one, it was necessary to explain that the expulsion of Reporters so long as Mr. Tuback was present was unfair; as it was well known that he was the chief in the news department of the *Times of India* office, and had for a long time worked the Telegraph Department of that newspaper, to an extent that was more easily imagined than described. The matter was becoming serious, when a disinterested bye-stander advised that the question should be put to the vote; when it was decided against the Press by an overwhelming majority. Upon this hint our Reporter took up his note-book and walked off; but we hope to have a full report of the meeting notwithstanding. In the meantime, we may state a Committee of the creditors has been appointed for winding up the affair of the concern. The meeting was called in the interest of the creditors, by Mr. G. Monnet, late a partner in the Firm of Messrs. Hunt, Monnet and Co. of Poona and Secunderabad; and his doing so is appreciated as it deserves to be.

WEEKLY MORTUARY RETURNS.—We are glad to find that the scourge of cholera has much abated, there having been only 145 deaths against 246 in the preceding week, or a reduction of 101 casualties by this disease. The deaths from fever are 278 against 277 in the previous week; showing no abatement. The deaths amongst Europeans was only 4 against 10; but the most cheering fact is that the general health is visibly improving; the total number of deaths from all causes being 592 against 713, or a decrease of 121.

EUROPEANS:		PARSEES:	
Cholera	0	Cholera	2
Small-pox	0	Small-pox	5
Measles	0	Fever	3
Other diseases	3	Other diseases	11
Accident	1	JEWS:	
INDO-EUROPEANS:		Cholera	0
Cholera	0	Small-pox	0
Fever	0	Fever	0
Other diseases	2	Other diseases	1
Accident	0	NATIVE-CHRISTIANS:	
HINDOOS:		Cholera	3
Cholera	120	Small-pox	1
Small-pox	46	Fever	2
Fever	213	Other diseases	3
Measles	4	NEGRO AFRICANS:	
Other diseases	52	Cholera	0
Accident & violence	2	Small-pox	0
MUSSULMANS:		Fever	0
Cholera	15	Other diseases	3
Small-pox	10	Accident	1
Measles	0	UNKNOWN RACES:	
Fever	57	Cholera	5
Other diseases	22	Fever	1
Accident	0	Other diseases	2

SUMMARY OF CHIEF DISEASES.

	Deaths.	Mean.		Deaths.	Mean.
Cholera	145	58	Nervous system	11	12
Small-pox	63	22	Respiratory system	11	22
Measles	4	10	Alimentary system	37	33
Fever	278	155	Vascular system	1	1
Cachexy	27	22	Accident	4	3

SHIPBUILDING ON THE CLYDE.—At no period in the history of shipbuilding on the Clyde has this branch of industry been as brisk as it is at present. Several new building yards has been opened on the banks of the Clyde this year; but, nevertheless, there is work enough for all. The stimulus thus imparted to the shipbuilding trade is, in a great measure, to be attributed to the numerous orders which builders have received from private firms and parties for steamers intended for the hazardous work of running the blockade, a stroke of good luck for which our shipbuilders are indebted to the deplorable war raging in America. As a proof of this activity we may mention that at present there are no fewer than 42 deep-sea steamers being built for blockade running alone. Of these 15 are building at Glasgow, 4 at Whiteinch, 6 at Renfrew, 6 at Dumbarton, 2 at Port Glasgow, and 9 at Greenock, and averaging their cost at 14,000*l.* each—and this we are assured is rather within the mark—we have thus shipping to the value of 588,000*l.*, intended for the purpose above mentioned now in course of construction. And this extensive trade is only a part of that which is going on, for there are frigates in process of building for the Turkish Government by Messers. Robert Napier and Sons; the Cuba and Java, magnificent screws of 3,000 tons each, now being built by Messrs. Tod and Macgregor, and Messrs. G. and J. Thomson, for the Cunard line; and a host of other vessels, by other builders, for India, Australia, and almost every part of the world. Towards the close of 1861 and throughout 1862, 30 vessels left the Clyde for the purpose of running the blockade, and, including the steamers which have been taken up since (numbering 84), no fewer than 64 steamers have thus left the Clyde for Nassau, the value of which, it is estimated, would be fully 800,000*l.*, making a total (including those now on the stocks) of 1,388,000*l.* Previous to 1863 11 deep-sea steamers started—viz., the Giraffe, Havelock, Leopard, Adela, Herald, Fingal, Tubal Cain, Antona, Thistle, Britannia, and the Princess Royal, six river steamers—viz., the Iona, Kelpie, Eagle, Pearl, Ruby, and Dolphin; and a number of new steamers, including the Queen of the Wave, Wave Queen, Georgiana, Memphis, Cornubia, Mino, Amelia, Corinth, Granite City, Ranger, &c. Few of the steamers which left the Clyde in 1862 and 1863 escaped the Federal men-of-war or the dangers of the ocean, but those which were fortunate enough to evade the blockading-squadron have yielded, it is understood, splendid returns to their owners. The following steamers have sailed from the Clyde for blockade running since the beginning of 1863 up till a fortnight ago:—Emma, Gertrude, Neptune, Mail, Jupiter, Juno, Lord Clyde, Gem, Diamond, Scotia, Star, Will-o'-the-Wisp, and Caledonia—all of which have been captured, burnt, or sunk. The Georgia, or Japan, which also left the Clyde, is engaged privateering; and the following are believed to be still running the blockade, viz.:—Thuskar, Spunkie, Mary Ann, General Mackenzie, Rothesay Castle, Coquette, Elvira, City of Petersburg, Presto, Dare, Wave Queen, Nolu, Flora, Greyhound, Minnie, Julia, Fairy, Tristram Shandy. The Iona, which is included in the 34 alluded to, was wrecked on her voyage to Nassau.—*Times.*

MAZAGON POLICE OFFICE.

(BEFORE F. L. BROWN, ESQ.—*26th May.*)

THE POISONING CASE.

Luxamon Poondalick, Vencoo Nabajee, Bynabace woman, Rewoo woman, and Ragoonath Sewram, were brought up, and placed at the bar, at the instance of one Bheema woman, the first three charges with murder of Gunput Zendoo, and the two last with aiding and abetting in the murder.

Messrs. Cumroodeen and Khunderao respectively appeared for the second and last prisoners.

Bheema woman on being sworn, stated as follows:—I am the widow of the late Zendoo Jawajee, who died eight years ago. I live at Byculla near the Marootee Temple. I had a son named Gunput Zendoo, now deceased. He was in his tenth year when he died. He died on a Tuesday, seventeen days ago. On the morning of that day, between nine and ten o'clock he returned home from school. He then appeared in perfect health. I was engaged cooking. After remaining a few minutes, he went out; he said that he would go and play in the bazaar. He was absent about an hour, and then returned with the copper pice (now produced) in his hand. He gave the copper pice to me, and said that he had eaten some sweemeat called burfi, which had been given to him in the Marootee Temple. He refused to take his meal. I persuaded him to take two monthsfull of bread. At about eleven o'clock, his school-fellows called him, and he went out with them. He returned almost immediately and said that the burfi he had eaten had made him sick. He vomitted a white liquid matter, and two or three solid pieces. They were soft, and I kept them. The deceased complained of a burning in his stomach, and he vomitted three or four times. I then took the deceased in a buggy to the hospital with a pot which contained the matter he had vomitted. It was about twelve o'clock when we reached the Hospital. The deceased was treated by the Doctors of the Hospital. I remained in the Hospital, and attended him. In consequence of what the Doctor told me, I went to the chowkee near the Baboola Tank, and reported the matter to Motee Havildar. In consequence of what the deceased told me, I went with the police officers to the house of the prisoner No. 1., Luxamon Poondalick; in Doorga Dava Street. We found him in his shop in the same street. The police officer arrested him and desired him to close his shop. At that time, the prisoner Rewoo (No. 4) his wife, came there. Motee Havildar told the prisoner No. 1., that he had arrested him about the sweetmeats given to the boy. He, the prisoner Luxamon, made no answer. The police officer took him to the Hospital. I accompanied them. The prisoner Luxamon Poondalick, was then placed before the deceased. The deceased in reply to enquiries by police officers, said that the prisoner, Luxamon, had given him the burfi to eat. He said so in the presence and hearing of the prisoner Luxamon. He, Luxamon, made no reply. The deceased was quite sensible. It was then about half-past four o'clock in the afternoon. I remained in the Hospital with the deceased, and at nine o'clock on the same night he died. I was then present. On the following day, Wednesday, an Inquest was held upon the body of the deceased, and was adjourned. In the course of the investigation, the prisoners Vencoo Nabajee, Bynabace, woman, Rewoo woman, and Ragoonath Sewram were brought before the Inquest by police officers. I know all the prisoners at the bar. There is at present depending in the High Court a suit in which the deceased was the nominal plaintiff, and the prisoner No. 3, Bynabaee, is the defendant. The suit is for the recovery of two houses of the value of 15,000 Rupees. The prisoner Vencoo is the brother of the prisoner Bynabaee, and aided her in the conduct of the suit. The prisoner Ragoonath has an interest in the suit as an intended purchaser of the houses. The prisoners Nos. 1 and 4 have no interest in the suit.

Prisoners asked no questions.

His Worship adjourned the case for further investigation until Saturday, the 28th instant, and remanded the prisoners to jail.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE "GOVERNOR HIGGINSON."

To the Editor of the Bombay Gazette.

SIR,—I am happy to say your conjecture about the *Governor Higginson* having passed Aden unknown to those on board the *Candia* is correct. A letter has been received from Aden from Captain Beyts, in which he states he had a remarkably fine, smooth passage, and arrived at Aden in nine days, though he had particular instructions to go under easy steam. He makes no mention of the cyclone, and must have been more than 800 miles away from it. All well on board.—Yours faithfully,

C. A. BEYTS.

THE PARSI RELIGION.

To the Editor of the Bombay Gazette.

SIR,—You say, in your local columns of yesterday, that Mr. Nowroji Furdonji is about to publish a book, on the authenticity of the Parsi religion. In the name of logomachy, may I ask, what is the authenticity of a religion? How can a religion be authentic? I can well understand the authenticity of the Zend Avesta, if it could be established by historical evidence; but the authenticity of the Parsi religion is a meaningless phrase.

So then Mr. Nowroji is thinking of dabbling himself into the mire of Zoroaster's barbarism! As he is to publish the book in England, I may suppose that he hopes to convert all Englishmen to his faith. Forsooth, some Parsis think that all Germany is going to be Zoroastrians, because Dr. Haug (a German) has published a book to prove that the Parsi Scriptures are like the Vedas of the Hindus!

I wish the Parsis would read carefully the translation of the Zend Avesta, which Mr. M. H. Cama has lately published. May I also recommend you, Mr. Editor, to amuse yourself a little with the same book; you will then know what the religion of "the heathen native" is. I have read it myself, and beg to express my opinion regarding it in a very brief sentence, it is all nonsense. Somewhat in the language of a famous orientalist (I believe Sir W. Jones), it must be said of the Parsi prophet, that, if he ever wrote those books which are ascribed to him, he was a fool; and if they have not been written by him it was impudent and audacious in men to have put them forth in his name.

24th May. ALIF.

BENGAL.

WE hear that a very sad accident occurred at Diamond Harbour on Wednesday morning. It appears that some soldiers, "invalids from the *Bentinck*" were bathing, as customary at low tide, close to where the ship is anchored, the depth of water not exceeding three feet. Two of them, who were standing up, felt something rub against their legs, but for the moment supposed that it was one of their comrades diving under water "larking" with them. It proved, however, to be an enormous shark, which seized one of the poor fellows by the leg, and mutilated him in a frightful manner, laying the flesh open to the bone. The Doctor of the *Bentinck* has, however, great hopes that amputation will be unnecessary. This will, in all probability, put a stop to further bathing, which is greatly to be regretted, inasmuch as it is not only an amusement, but also very beneficial to the health of the men.—*Englishman, May 20.*

MADRAS.

THE Messagaries Imperiales have again lowered their fares, but have prudently left a margin for further reduction. The gratitude of the public will probably correspond very closely to the cynical definition which makes gratitude "a lively expectation of future favours." However in one respect we certainly do owe boundless gratitude to the Messageries; they have established an opposition, though unhappily, not, so far, a very effective one, to the oppressive monopoly of the P. and O. Company. Bombay seems likely to find enough enterprise to start a rebellion by organizing a rival English Company. We have not yet heard what is to be the rate of reduction, but the feeling against the P. and O. monopoly is so wide-spread that a very slight alteration will turn the scale in favour of the new Company. We believe that they intend to introduce a different system from that pursued by the P. and O. Company, with regard to the liquors consumed on board, and make every man pay only for what he drinks. This will be a very popular measure, and would have been adopted long ago on board the P. and O. Steamers but for the enormous percentage made out for the present arrangement.—*Athenæum and Daily News, May 21.*

WE believe that the *Candia* is expected to appear in the roads to-morrow. Her arrival is eagerly expected by the Volunteers, amongst whom her recent discomfiture occasioned a profound sensation. It appears that the plumes which the gallant corps have long looked forward to wearing at full parade on Her Majesty's Birthday are on board this ill-fated vessel, and serious apprehensions are entertained lest the feathers should have been damaged by the 500 tons of water which the *Candia* is said to have shipped. We trust that these gloomy forebodings will not be realised. A very good suggestion has been made by a correspondent of the *Madras Times* that the review should take place in the morning instead of as usual in the evening. The chief advantage of this change would be that it enables the men to take full advantage of the holiday as soon as the review is over. At this time of the year it is a further consideration that in the morning they would be less exposed to the heat of the sun. It may perhaps be thought by some that not the least important element in a review is the crowd to look on, and that comparatively few people would muster in the morning. But after all in a case of this kind it is rather hard that the performers should be sacrificed to the spectators, nor must it be forgotten that, if the plumes are much injured, the Volunteers might like to get the review over as quietly as possible. Patriotic Madrassees will be glad to learn that at the last Brigade the firing of the Volunteers was far more precise than even that of so highly distinguished a corps as Her Majeyty's 76th. We understand that this result is chiefly due to the care of Mr. Kilgour. He has just been succeeded, in his post as Musketry Instructor by Mr. Begbie, a gentleman already known for his scientific and literary attainments.—*Id.*

MAURITIUS.

(From the Overland Commercial Gazette, May 6.)

SOME surprise has been felt at the sanction given by the Governor General of India to the Act passed by the Bengal Legislative Council imposing restrictions on Immigration. The draft of this Act has been objected to by the Colonial Government, and it was expected that it would have been delayed until time had been allowed to consider the objections advanced. This Act comes into force on the 1st July, and allows District Magistrates the power of preventing Immigrants from leaving India if, in the opinion of such Magistrates, they do not fully understand the nature of their engagement. This power is likely to endanger Immigration, not because Immigrants are obtained and embarked without their own free will but because the caprice or prejudice of a District Magistrate may induce him to intimidate Immigrants from leaving. A letter will be found in another page from His Excellency the Governor in reply to the Chamber of Agriculture which enters fully into the subject of the short supply of Immigrants, and shows how anxious the Government is on this point.

The Northern line of Railway was delivered over to the Government by the Contractors on the 2nd inst., and every effort is making to open the line for traffic as soon as possible. It is said that by the 24th inst. trains will run regularly throughout the whole line. We have not learnt whether there will be any inauguration, but we should be sorry to see a deviation from the usual custom in the instance of the first Railway in Mauritius. The Contractors now having their whole force on the Midland line, the work there will proceed with rapidity, and there is every reason to look for the completion of this second line by the end of the year.

The Legislative Council have passed an Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law on the Paper Currency, the principal object of which is to authorize the investment of a portion of the sums received in exchange for Notes, in Debentures of the Mauritius Government.

A correspondence was submitted relative to the delays in the arrivals of the P. and O. Steamers with our Overland Mails. The Secretary of State does not consider that any fine should be claimed from the Company for the delay of the *Norna* and the *Suktanti* to assist the *Rangoon* and the *Poonah*, as their assistance was given in the interest of the Indian and Australian Mails which, if retarded, would have been prejudicial to the Government. The Directors of the P. and O. Company decline to put better steamers on the line without an additional subsidy. They pretend the vessels now employed always arrive in time at Suez, and that there are always eight days to reply to letters after the arrival of the mail in Mauritius.

From Madagascar, we have no political news of importance to chronicle. The fact of the Malagasy new year having passed off more quietly than was expected, and of the rumours of the King's existence being entirely discredited by all *sensible* persons, has apparently tended to consolidate the present Hova Government, and it does not seem probable that any reactionary movement will be attempted, for the present at least. The greatly increased price of cotton cloths, our chief article of export, has had a depressing effect on trade at Madagascar, generally, and will, we fear, render our commercial relations with that country less important during 1864 than those of previous years, more especially as there is no present scarcity of bullocks in our market. About a fortnight ago, three officers, Captains Rooke, R. A., Johnstone, 24th Regt., and Mr. Hewitt, Military Store Department, left this via Reunion on a pleasure trip to the Southern Lakes of Madagascar. This very simple occurrence has seemingly alarmed the Authorities of Reunion and given rise to an absurd rumour, which has been repeated by the local Press there, that the above Officers have proceeded to Madagascar on an important political mission. We need not state this report is entirely devoid of truth.

Port Louis has never been properly lighted and latterly instead of advancing we have retrograded. At length a spirited firm in Scotland, Messrs. Hanna Donald & Co. has offered to light the town with gas on conditions which could not be refused, and Mr. W. Scott, the representative of that firm, returns to this colony by the next mail so as to commence operations without delay. It is surely time that the rich, large, and populous town of Port Louis should be drained and cleansed of at least some of its impurities, otherwise it will be said that we are so accustomed to live in uncleanliness that we prefer it to all that science and skill can give us in the way of cleanliness and comfort.

O'Toole, the late acting manager of the Savings Bank, who some months ago disappeared leaving a heavy deficit in the funds of the Bank, has suddenly turned up and surrendered himself to the Police. It is believed that he has been to Australia and returned on finding Police indications for his arrest there. He will be put on his trial before the next Assize Court which will be held at the end of this month.

The Marine Insurance Company has been very fortunate lately. At a late Meeting of the Shareholders it was stated that the receipts for premiums, &c. had exceeded the payments for losses, &c. by drs. 12,858, and as the previous half year was equally propitious the Capital of the Company has increased by drs. 25,000. In addition to the paid up Capital there is a sum of drs. 85,000 realized independent of unexpired premiums. The Shareholders requested the Directors to examine whether larger dividends could not be given in the present estate of affairs of the Company and their opinion will be submitted to the Shareholders at an early day.

It will be remembered that, in our last Overland, we mentioned that the Supreme Court had delivered judgment in the matter of Virginie Bruneau *v.* the Mauritius Government, in favor of the Plaintiff. The question to be decided, was, whether the natural children, of a deceased brother or sister who died *ab intestat* were entitled, in the absence of lawful heirs to be sent into possession of the estate of their natural uncle. The Government has entered an appeal against this judgment to the Privy Council, and the Court has allowed the appeal, without security being furnished, the Hon. Mr. Kœning, of counsel for the Respondent, having trained all demand of this nature. The amount involved borders close upon £20,000.

BOMBAY ETHICS.

(From the Hills.)

BACON tells us, that medical men err when they enjoin moderation in eating and drinking, and that better results are obtained by alternate feasting and fasting; but as he tells us also, that we are not to take for granted everything we find in a book, we fancy his readers will receive his assertion with some doubt, until at least, they practically test it in their own case. But, assuming that he is right, it follows, from the well known law that physical is typical of mental training, that the rule applied to the mind would give similar results; and that those who overstrain their minds at one time, at another suffer it to lie fallow, have the finest cerebral health. Indian editors must be of this class, since, owing to the vagaries of the Post Office, they are inundated one day with newspapers, and left the next, with none. It is rather a compliment to the *Times of India* to say that any one can derive mental pabulum from its columns; but as we are about to comment on something that has appeared therein, we fancy we must admit that, at all events, it may be included in the inundation, since we generally get two days numbers at once. We like to read the *Times'* articles on land tenure and the permanent settlement; it is so pleasant to witness the delineation of views the reverse of those dictated by common sense,—it is so laughable to look at our mental physiognomy distorted in cracked and bulged specula, until the lofty brow, the well shaped nose, the cleanly cut lips, and the chin of resolution, are exaggerated into a shapeless mass bearing no earthly resemblance to the original.

But on this occasion, the *Times* enters boldly into a new sphere of speculation. Mr. Howard, the Director of Public Instruction at Bombay, published a series of class books. Formerly McCulloch's class books were used, but as these contained religious instruction intended for Scottish boys, and were besides almost useless to Native lads endeavouring to interweave English and Hindoostanee, they were discarded, and Mr. Howard collected in a cheap form materials which his experience in teaching had told him would really be appreciated by the people. Mr. Heward happens unfortunately to have been a barrister which with the *Times* is synonymous with sharper; and being connected with the Educational Department he must, on the same authority, be an Infidel, an Atheist, and a Mormon. So, of course when the *Times* heard of Mr. Howard's doings, it thought of Hudibras's injunction to his Squire, and exclaiming,

"This is a Machiavellian plot,
Though evrey nare olfact it not,"

rushed pell-mell into print,

Mr. Howard intends to make a fortune, says the *Times*. And pray, where's the harm? Had he conducted a paper in Timbuctoo, on principles foreign to his creed and his country, reaping a dirty lak of rupees for the crime against his conscience, not a word would have been said against him. But he must actually receive money as the fruit of honest labor, and—he becomes a swindler, judged by the *Times of India's* standard. The conduct of that journal has never been so gentlemanly, that any one with a spark of respect for himself would hesitate to say—better to err with Howard, than side with Gell. It is not enough for Mr. Howard to urge, that the demand of the general public for his books induced him to publish a second Edition, at his private expense; and that he is legitimately entitled to any profits that might accrue—it is sufficient that he has made money by natives; he has invaded the preserves of the gentle Knight—and the expectant Gell! For of course, if the Director of Public Instruction takes money now from the natives, there will be less to bestow on the next editor of the *Times* that retires after arduous worship of Mammon to fatten at home on his easy-gotten gains!

Lately, we would remind our contemporary the Government gave Mr. Atchison 15,000 rupees as a reward for industry in compiling treaties. But there is not a Lawrence at Bombay, and Mr. Howard is perfectly right in securing any gain to himself which is his honest and undoubted right. The compiling of class books is not the regular business of a Director of Public Instruction; it is apart from his official duty of general superintendence. He is justified in accepting private reward for his private labors, whether they consist in the compiling of treaties or class books, or in literary composition.

OUR GOORKHAS.

(From the Delhi Gazette.)

OUR readers will have read in these columns that a Wing of the 3rd Goorkhas (Kumaon Battalion) has been for some time past lying at Roorkee. From information which has reached us we cannot but think that those brave little men have not been well treated. They are surely deserving of a little more consideration. They marched some time last cold season from Almorah to Bareilly, leaving their families behind expecting they would return to them. They were ordered to proceed to Deyrah instead; and sending for their families started *en route*. For some unexplained cause they have been directed to halt at Roorkee, where they may be seen, with their wives and little ones, under sheets and blankets spread on sticks three feet high to protect them from the fierce rays of the May sun. Now, these mountaineers suffer in the climate of the plains only a degree less than Europeans. And what indignation would be expressed at keeping the European soldiery, their women and children under canvas at this season of the year! The "little Goorkhas" have done right good service to the State, ever vieing with their European comrades in deeds of bravery and devotion; then why should they be wantonly exposed to suffering. The men complain most bitterly and very justly of the treatment meted out to them. With the thermometer at 120 degrees in the shade, and no shelter whatever from the hot winds they, their wives and children, are of course suffering much—ophthalmia has broken out among them, at which we are not in the least surprised.

So much for one Wing of that gallant regiment of mountaineers who stood by us in 1857. Now what about the other?

The other wing marched from Almorah to Deyrah, and their encamped, not being permitted to occupy the vacant, or partially vacant, lines. Shortly after the arrival of the men at Deyrah they also were ordered to Roorkee. They obeyed with alacrity, as they always do, but who can attach blame to them for complaining, bitterly complaining, of the market favour, *at their cost*, shown to their comrades of the 2nd Regiment. The men of the 2nd have been permitted to hold possession of four of the most pleasant military posts in India—Deyrah, Landour, Rawul Pindee and Murree, while those of the 3rd have been turned out of Almorah, a station they have a right to call their own, and thrust under canvas at Roorkee.

We would like to know why a system which has been hitherto found to answer so admirably has been so suddenly changed. In former days there were only two Goorkha regiments, the Kumaon Battalion at Almorah, and the Sirmoor Rifles at Deyrah. Every few years for obvious reasons those corps changed places. Subsequently the Jutogh Battalion, a third Goorkha (?) regiment, was added to the strength of the army. It was disbanded in 1857, for doubtful conduct. Then came the 66th N. I.

It stands to reason that a regiment stationed at Almorah will always have a large number of Goorkhas; who will of course hold back if they are to be deprived of their Highland Homes. And it will hardly be denied that every encouragement to enlist in our service should be held out to that class of men.

We would propose the following plan. We have got four Goorkha regiments—1st at Dhurumsalah, 2nd at Rawul Pindee, 3rd in camp at Roorkee, 4th at Almorah—one hill station is wanting, and should be selected without delay. Why cannot the 3rd be sent on at once to occupy Pokrie? Better that they should be in camp there than at Roorkee. It is real hardship to move a Goorkha soldier often because his family ties are strong, and he has to take his wife and children with him wherever he may go. Each regiment must be sent occasionally to Almorah, the recruiting station, to obtain fresh young blood; and it might be so arranged that each of the four regiments passes at least five years there out of every twenty.

It is a well known fact that the Highlanders of India will not, in truth they cannot, serve in the plains. Hill servants, who have been with their masters for years, decline coming down. If care be not taken we shall have Goorkha regiments without the Goorkhas. Already only about half the "Goorkha force" consists of the genuine stuff. Every Nepaul man is not a Goorkha, any more than, every Englishman comes from Yorkshire. The reason the existing body fights so well as to have passed into a proverb, is only on account of the example set by the genuine Goorkhas.

Although we suppose it is, or will be the case that the Wing at Roorkee will be ordered to hut itself, we cannot but think better would have been done had it been ordered to one of the dozen hill places we could mention. Why not send them even to the Nalah Panee hill, three miles from Deyrah, where there is good water and abundance of food. It is as easy for the men to hut themselves in one place as in the other.

We trust the attention of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief will be turned to the subject.

THE AUSTRIAN FLOTILLA.

(From the Express, Tuesday Evening, May 3.)

THE Austrian squadron, under the command of Rear-Admiral Wullerstorf, left Gibraltar on the afternoon of the 21st ult. for the German Ocean, *via* a port in Portugal or on the north coast of Spain. It consisted of the screw sloop Elisabetta (flag-ship), Captain Zaccaria; screw line-of-battle ship Kaiser, Captain Baron de Bec: screw frigate Archduke Friedrich, Captain Wippinger; armour clad frigate Don Juan d'Austria, Captain Pakorny; and screw gunboat Wall, Commander Mantrone.

The *Fremdenblait* of Vienna, of April 29, says:—

We are expecting every moment to hear by telegram of the arrival of the Austrian fleet in the North Sea, and of its forcing the Danish blockade. The condition of an armistice proposed by Denmark at the Conference would probably disappear after the effective intervention of our flotilla. There is nothing to justify the belief that the appearance of our vessels in the North Sea has been designedly retarded with a view of not extending the operations of war on sea, or of not wishing to displease England, or for any other reasons whatever that has not been avowed. In our political circles nothing is more earnestly desired than that the Austrian naval force should teach a lesson to the Danes on sea like that which our land force inflicted on them at Obersek, Obersee, and Veile.

THE POPE'S ALLOCUTION TO THE EMPEROR OF MEXICO.

(From the Express, May 3.)

THE *Unita Cattolica* gives the following as the allocution addressed by the Pope to the Emperor and Empress of Mexico, in the chapel of the Vatican, before giving them Communion:—

Behold the Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world. It is through Him that kings reign and princes rule. It is through Him that legislators administer justice, and though He sometimes permits monarchs to be tried, yet it is from Him that all power comes—from Him to whom all power in Heaven and on earth has been given. In His name I recommend to you the prosperity of the Catholic people who have been entrusted to you. Great are the rights of the people, and they must be satisfied, but greater and more sacred are the rights of the church, the spotless spouse of Jesus Christ, who has redeemed us with his blood—that blood which is now to crimson your lips. You will, therefore, respect the rights of the people and of the church, and will thus labour for the temporal and spiritual welfare of your subjects. May this Jesus whom you are about to receive from the hands of his vicar deign to give you his grace in the abundance of his mercy!

ALGERIA.

(From the Express, May 3.)

THE following is the order of the day addressed to the soldiers of the province of Oran, in Algeria, by the general commanding that military division:

Head-quarters, at Mascara, April 23.

A grave situation has suddenly arisen. Some fanatical marabouts have preached up revolt, and the populations of the Shara have listened to their deceitful language. The insurrection commenced with an infamous treason—one of those cowardly acts which exceed in treachery anything that occurred during the heat of the struggle for the conquest of the country. More than a hundred of our brothers in arms were surprised in their sleep and slaughtered. In the same districts all our small detachments have been attacked by numerous enemies. They have made superhuman efforts to extricate themselves, and some have succeeded. The French soldiers have nobly fulfilled their duty, and numbers of the native troops have behaved equally well. In presence of such events our conduct is traced out before us—to protect the country and avenge our brothers. Have confidence in our success and it will soon be attained. DELIGNY.

MISCEGENATION.—The *New Hampshire Patriot* gives facts to show that the female Abolitionists who went as teachers of the negroes at Port Royal have been very successful in at least one branch of juvenile development. It says: 'Private advices from Port Royal say that many of the female Abolitionists who went to Port Royal to teach the little niggers how to read and pray, have been obliged, within the past few months, to abandon their black charges and open nurseries on their own private account. An officer informed us recently that no less than sixty-four spinsters had contributed to the population in and about the neighbourhood of Port Royal harbour. The climate seems to favour population even more than the production of Sea Island cotton by paid negro labour. The information furnished us by the officer concerning the sixty-four little mulattoes has been confirmed by the testimony of the Rev. Liberty Billings, Lieutenant-Colonel of the First South Carolina Regiment, who is here in consequence of ill health. He says it is a sad truth.'

MILITARY.

ARRIVALS.—MAY 26TH.

Langhton, Captain G. A., Staff Corps, to join, from England.
White, Lieutenant A. H., 3rd Dragoon Guards, to join, from England.
Dickinson, Lieutenant Colonel W. R., Royal Engineers, on duty, from Aden.
Ketchen, Lieutenant W. D., Madras Light Cavalry, to join, from England.
Angus, Ensign J., 79th Highlanders, to join, from England.
Lynch, Captain, 19th Regiment M. N. I., to join, from England.
Bell, Lieutenant Colonel H. W. B., Royal Engineers, on duty, from Poona.
Twiss, Captain G., Royal Artillery, to join, from England.

DEPARTURES.—MAY 26TH.

Bell, Lieutenant Colonel H. W. B., Royal Engineers, on duty, to Poona.
White, Lieutenant A. H., 3rd Dragoon Guards, to join, to Ahmednuggur.
Aitchison, Major C. T., Staff Corps, to join, to Poona.
Twiss, Captain G., Royal Artillery, on leave, to Kirkee.

GOVERNMENT GENERAL ORDERS.

Bombay Castle, 19th May 1864.

The following Officers are allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Lieutenant Colonel E. Wray, C.B., Royal (Bombay) Artillery, Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, for fifteen months.
Captain P. Dods, Staff Corps, for twenty months.
Lieutenant H. T. Hebbert, Staff Corps, 3rd Assistant Political Agent Kattiwar, for twenty months.
Lieutenant E. H. Noyes, Cadre 10th Regiment N. I., Supernumerary Assistant Superintendent Revenue Survey, for twenty months.

Bombay Castle, 21st May 1864.

Assistant Surgeon J. Gilbert is allowed a furlough to Europe for twenty months on medical certificate.

Major R. M. Johnstone, Staff Corps, is allowed a furlough to Europe for eighteen months on medical certificate.

Lieutenant W. A. Park, Cadre 3rd European Regt., is allowed a furlough to Europe for fifteen months on medical certificate.

Major G. T. A. Anderson, Staff Corps, is allowed a furlough to Europe for six months on private affairs without pay.

Bombay Castle, 25th May 1864.

The following alterations of dates of rank are made under the provisions of G. O. G. G. No. 66, dated 25th January 1864, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

2nd Regt. Light Cavalry.—Captain Walter Elliot LeGeyt, vice Captain C. W. Bannister, retired.

Genl. List, Cavalry.—Lieutenant Duncan, George Pitcher (21st Hussars), vice Lieut. W. E. LeGeyt, 2nd Regiment Light Cavalry, promoted.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Captain John Miles, vice Captain W. N. Dyett, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel Augustus Cotgrave Honner (retired), vice Lieut. Colonel H. S. Walker, retired.

1st Gr. Regt. N. I.—Major (Brevet Colonel) George Malcolm C. B. (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. H. S. Walker, retired.

1st Gr. Regt. N. I.—Captain William Ferguson (deceased), vice Lieut. Colonel H. S. Walker, retired.

1st Gr. Regt. N. I.—Lieut. Lestock St. John Bell (deceased), vice Lieut. Colonel H. S. Walker, retired.

18th Regt. N. I.—Captain John Ashburner (Staff Corps), vice Captain S. N. Raikes, retired.

18th Regt. N. I.—Lieut. William Henry Wilson (Staff Corps), vice Captain S. N. Raikes, retired.

20th Regt. N. I.—Captain William Waddington (Staff Corps,) vice Captain H. Lancaster, retired.

20th Regt. N. I.—Lieut. John Greenwood Gillmor, vice Captain H. Lancaster, retired.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Major Andrew Crawford (retired), vice Major Mauger, transferred to the Invalid Establishment.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Captain Samuel Joseph Thory, vice Major Mauger, transferred to the Invalid Establishment.

15th Regt. N. I.—Major Frederick Alexander Campbell Kane (retired), vice Major H. Heyman, retired.

15th Regt. N. I.—Captain Horace Rendall Bushe, vice Major H. Heyman, retired.

4th Regt. N. I. (RC)—1st Lieut. David James Kilgour Sangster (106th Foot), vice 1st Lieut. J. Noding, retired.

18th Regt. N. I.—Captain Frederick Torriano Ross (Staff Corps), vice Captain R. F. Burton, struck off the list of the Army.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Captain (Brevet Major) William Augustus Armstrong (109th Foot), vice Captain J. O'B. Forrest, retired.

16th Regt. N. I.—Captain Thomas Hedger Rees (Invalided), vice Captain (Major in the Staff Corps) J. L. Evans, retired.

2nd Regt. Light Cavalry.—Major Evan Murray Macgregor, vice Major W. F. Hunter, retired.

2nd Regt. Light Cavalry.—Captain Arthur William Macnaghten, vice Major W. F. Hunter, retired.

Genl. List Cavalry.—Lieut. Boyce Albert Combe (21st Hussars) vice Lieut. Macnaghten, 2nd Regt. Light Cavalry, promoted.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel Lincoln Stephen Hough (Staff Corps,) vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) A. P. LeMessurier and D. Davidson, retired.

Late 31st Regt. N. I.—Major Edward M'Culloch (retired), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) A. P. LeMessurier and Davidson, retired.

Late 31st Regt. N. I.—Captain Charles Frederick Boulton (Staff Corps,) Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) A. P. LeMessurier and D. Davidson, retired.

24th Regt. N. I.—Major John Wray (Staff Corps), vice Major W. Ballingall, retired.

24th Regt. N. I.—Captain John Wauchope (Invalided), vice Major W. Ballingall, retired.

18th Regt. N. I.—Major Robert Wallace (Staff Corps), vice Major F. Westbrooke, retired.

18th Regt. N. I.—Captain John Frederic Berthon, vice Major F. Westbrooke, retired.

Infantry.—Lieutenant Colonel George Samuel Montgomery, vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) Sir P. M. Melvill, C.B., and G. LeGrand Jacob, C.B., retired.

14th Regt. N. I.—Major Roberts Michael Westropp, vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) Sir P. M. Melvill, C.B., and G. LeGrand Jacob, C.B., retired.

14th Regt. N. I.—Captain William Berthon Preston, vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) Sir P. M. Melvill, C.B., and G. LeGrand Jacob, C.B., retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Thomas Tapp, C. B. Aide de Camp to the Queen (103rd Foot), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) A. Shepheard, C.B., and N. P. MacDougall, retired.

1st Bombay European Regt.—Major Robert James Shaw (Staff Corps.), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) A. Shepheard, C.B., and N. P. MacDougall, retired.

1st Bombay European Regt.—Captain Robert Alexander Taylor (103rd Foot), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) A. Shepheard C.B., and N. P. MacDougall, retired.

1st Bombay European Regt.—1st Lieut. George Henry Bridges (103rd Foot), vice Lieut. Colonels Brevet Colonels) A. Shepheard, C.B. and N. P. MacDougall, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel Burdett Richard Powell, vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) J. Swanson, and D. M. Scobie, retired.

26th Regt. N. I.—Major Edward Hope Smith Bowdich, vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) J. Swanson, and D. M. Scobie, retired.

26th Regt. N. I.—Captain Clarence Augustus Collier (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) J. Swanson, and D. M. Scobie, retired.

9th Regt. N. I.—Major Samuel Thacker (Staff Corps), vice Major (Brevet Lieut. Colonel) H. W. Evans, retired.

9th Regt. N. I.—Captain George William Hanson (Staff Corps), vice Major (Brevet Lieut. Colonel) H. W. Evans, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel James McGregor (deceased), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels) J. R. Keily and R. Shortrede, retired.

Late 30th Regt N. I.—Major George Alexander Leckie (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. Colonels (Brevet Colonels J. R. Keily and R. Shortrede, retired.

Late 30th Regt. N. I.—Captain Newman Burfoot Thoyts (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. Colonels) Brevet Colonels) J. R. Keily and R. Shortrede, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel Henry Stanley, vice Lieut. Colonel (Brevet Colonel) G. Pope, C. B. and Lieut. Colonel J. Holmes, C. B., retired.

5th Regt. N. L. I.—Major William Wilkinson Taylor, vice Lieut. Colonel (Brevet Colonel) G. Pope, C. B. and Lieut. Colonel J. Holmes, C. B., retired.

5th Regt. N. I.—Captain Devereux Henry Hickman vice Lieut. Colonel Brevet Colonel) G. Pope, C. B., and Lieut. Colonel J. Holmes, C. B., retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel John William Schneider, vice Lieut. Cols. C. G. G. Munro and C. R. Hogg, retired.

2nd Gr. Regt. N. I.—Major Henry Richard Connell Moyle, vice Lieut. Cols. C. G. G. Munro and C. R. Hogg, retired.

2nd Gr. Regt N. I.—Captain John Graham, vice Lieut. Cols. C. G. G. Munro and C. R. Hogg, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel John Sheerbrooke Gell, vice Lieut. Cols. E. A. Guerin and W. H. C. Lye, retired.

10th Regt. N. I.—Major Joseph Charles Coley, vice Lieut. Cols. E. A. Guerin and W. H. C. Lye, retired.

10th Regt. N. I.—Captain Robert Burd, vice Lieut. Cols. E. A. Guerin and W. H. C. Lye, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel Thomas Stock (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. Cols. G. C. Stockley and E. Andrews, retired.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Major Charles Stephen Whitehill (109th Foot), vice Lieut. Cols. G. C. Stockley.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Captain Arthur Palmer Davis, vice Lieut. Cols. G. C. Stockley and E. Andrews, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Edward Lechmere Russell, vice Lieut. Cols. A. C. Honner and W. G. Arrow, retired.

12th Regt. N. I.—Major William Lodwick (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. Cols. A. C. Honner and W. G. Arrow, retired.

12th Regt. N. I.—Captain Charles Thomas Heathcote (Staff Corps), vice Lieut. Cols. A. C. Honner and W. G. Arrow, retired.

16th Regt. N. I.—Major Christopher Palmer Rigby (Staff Corps), vice Major (Lieut. Col in the Staff Corps) Keith Jopp, retired.

16th Regt. N. I.—Captain Francis James Thomas Ross (Staff Corps), vice Major (Lieut Col. in the Staff Corps) Keith Jopp, retired.

Infantry.—Lieut. Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Henry Joseph Pelly (Staff Corps,) Lieut. Colonel E. Baynes and C. K. Whitelock, retired.

8th Regt N. I.—Major George Elliot Ashburner, vice Lieut. Colonel E. Baynes and C. K. Whitelock, retired.

8th Regt. N. I.—Captain Henry Beville (Staff Corps, vive Lieut. Colonel E. Baynes and C. K. Whitelock, retired.

2nd Bombay European Regt.—Major Michie Forbes Gordon (Staff Corps) vice Major A. E. Sanders, retired.

2nd Bombay European Regt.—Captain Augustus Spottiswoode Griffiths (Staff Corps), vice Major A. E. Sanders, retired.

2nd Bombay European Regt.—Lieut. John Henry Gaitskell (106th Foot), vice Major A. E. Sanders, retired.

Late 29th Regt. N. I.—Major D'Oyly Trevor Compton, (Staff Corps), vice Major General Jameson, retired.

Late 29th Regt N. I.—Captain Charles Payne Barras vice Major General Jameson, retired.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Major John William Fleming Sandwith, vice Major A. Crawford, retired.

3rd Bombay European Regt.—Captain Robert Baigrie (Staff Corps), vice Major A. Crawford, retired.

15th Regt. N. I.—Major George Reynolds Scott Burrows, vice Major F. A. C. Kane, retired.

15th Regt. N. I.—Captain Julius Barras, vice Major F. A. C. Kane, retired.

28th Regt. N. I.—Major Cadman Hodgkinson, vice Major G. L. Lye, retired.

28th Regt. N. I.—Captain Thomas Rose Nimmo, vice Major G. L. Lye, retried.

3rd Regt. N. I.—Major Robert Richards, vice Major Henry Richards, retired.

3rd Regt. N. I.—Captain William Henry Mason (Staff Corps), vice Major Henry Richards retired.

3rd Regt. N. I.—Captain William Henry Mason (Staff Corps), vice Major Henry Richards retired.

17th Regt. N. I.—Major John Pogson, vice Major H. L. Evans, retired

17th Regt. N. I.—Captain Claude Malet Ducat (Staff Corps,) vice Major H. L. Evans, retired

1st Bombay Eur. Regt.—Captain Edmund King (Staff Corps,) vice Captain (Brevet Lieut. Colonel) W. E. Evans, retired.

1st Bombay Eur. Regt.—1st Lieutenant George Edward Harris, vice Captain (Brevet Lieut. Colonel) W. E. Evans, retired.

3rd Ditto,—Captain John Barnes, vice Captain (Major in the Staff Corps) James Rose, retired.

22nd Regt. N. I.—Captain George Charles Evezard (Staff Corps), vice Captain J. G. Miller retired.

Late 31st Regt. N. I.—Captain Frederick Johnson Stubbus (Staff Corps,) vice Captain H. T. Maclean, retired.

16th Regt N. I.—Captain John Whaley Watson, vice Captain T. H. Rees, transferred to the invalid Establishment.

23rd Regt N. L. I.—Captain Ernest Hawkins Shewell (Staff Corps), deceased, vice Captain F. G. Newnham, retired.

24th Regt. N. I.—Castain Henry Charles Bainbridge (Staff Corps,) vice Captain J. Wauchope, transferred to the Invalid Pension List.

1st Bombay Eur. Regt.—Captain Herbert Frederick Disbrowe (Staff Corps), vice Captain (Major in the Staff Corps) R. Cowpar, retired.

1st Bombay Eur. Regt.—Lieutenant Henry Lowther Nutt (103rd Foot, vice Captain (Major in the Staff Corps) R. Cowpar retired.

Late 31st Regt. N. I.—Major Montagu John Battye, vice Major E. McCulloch, retired.

Late 31st Regt. N. I.—Captain Charles Donald Macleod, vice Major E. McCulloch, retired.

14th Regt. N. I.—Captain Charles Henry Hunter Forbes, vice Captain St. Clair Ford (Staff Corps,) retired.

4th Regt. N. I. (R. C).—Captain John Lewin Sheppard (Staff Corps), vice Captain (Brevet Major) R. Gordon retired.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Adolphus Hobson, vice Lieut. John Miles, 3rd Bombay European Regt., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. William Arthur Salmon, vice Lieut. S. J. Thorp, 3rd Bombay European Regt., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Henry Tolfrey Christie, vice Lieut. H. K. Bushe, 15th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. James Henry Latham Greenfield, vice Lieut. G. H. Bonner, 9th Regt. N. I., retired.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. George Frederick Bryan, vice Lieut. H. J. Heisch, 28th Regt. N. I., resigned.

General List, Infantry—Lieut. John James Fraser, vice Lieut. F. T. Ross (Staff Corps), late 18th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Felix Walker Bean, vice Lieut. W. A. Armstrong, (103rd Foot), late 3rd Bombay European Regt., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Piercy Henderson Greig, vice Lieut. T. H. Rees (Invalided), late 16th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Edward Mockler vice Lieut. C. F. Boulton (Staff Corps), late 31st Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Frederick Day Mander, vice Lieut. J. Wauchope (Invalided), late 24th Regt. promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. James Rutherford, vice Lieut. (Brevet Captain) J. F. Berthon, 18th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List Infantry.—Lieut. George Charles Girardot (106th Foot), vice Lieut. W. B. Preston, 14th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Walter Marshall, vice Lieut. C. A. Collier (Staff Corps), late 26th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut George Richard Peart, vice Lieut. G. W. Hanson (Staff Corps), late 9th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Percival Altamont Browne, vice Lieut. N. B. Thoyts (Staff Corps), late 30th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Charles Lewis Halbert, vice Lieut. D. H. Hickman, 5th Regt. N. L. I., promoted.

General List Infantry.—Lieut. John Mellish Madden, vice Lieut. J. Graham, 2nd Gr. Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List Infantry.—Lieut Richard John LePoer French, vice Lieut. R. Burd, 10th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Henry Charles Holland Hastings (109th Foot), resigned, vice Lieut. P. Davis, 3rd Bombay European Regt, promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Alexander Fraster Stewart, vice Lieut. C. T. Heathcote (Staff Corps), late 12th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Albert Greenland (56th Foot), vice Lieut. F. J. Ross (Staff Corps), late 16th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. George Thomas Dennis Glasgow, vice Lieut. H. Beville (Staff Corps), late 8th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Edward Swatman Reynolds, vice Lieut. W. H. Mason (Staff Corps), late 3rd Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Henry Frence, vice Lieut. C. P. Barras, late 29th Regt. N. I., Promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Edward Gilbert Peyton 106th Foot), vice Lieut. R. Baigrie (Staff Corps), late 3rd Bombay European Regt., promoted.

General List. Infantry.—Lieut Frederick Charles Hudson (109th Foot), vice Lieut. J. Barras, 15th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Frederick Schuler Leacock, vice Lieut. T. R. Nimmo, 28th Regt. N. I. promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. James Bruce Hennell, vice Lieut. C. M. Ducat (Staff Corps), late 17th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Francis Corbet Singleton, vice Lieut. J. Barnes, 3rd Bombay European Regt., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Edward Stiverd Williamson (deceased), vice Lieut. (Brevet Captain) G. C. Evezard (Staff Corps), late 22nd Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Charles Spring Lechmere, vice Lieut. F. J. Stubbs (Staff Corps) late 22nd Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Herbert Lee, Hall (61st Foot), vice Lieut. W. A. Kerr V. C. (Staff Corps), late 24th Regt. N. I., resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Walter Wightwick Haywood, vice Lieut. S. J. Whitehill, late 29th Regt. N. I., resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Walter Scott, vice Lieut. H. C. Ryder, 3rd Bombay Eur. Regt., removed from the Army List.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Charles Mountstuart Erskine (103rd Foot), Lieut. R. G. H. Johnstone (Staff Corps), late 23rd Regt N. L. I., resignad.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Charles Fleming Gleig (106th Foot), vice Lieut. J. W. Watson, 16th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. John Becke, vice Lieut. E. Bell, 1st Gr. Regt. N. I., retired.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Ellis Charles Jackson (resigned), vice Lieut. G. E. Keith, late 31st Regt. N. I. resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. John Isaac Tinling, vice Lieut. T. R. Lee, late 30th Regt. N. I., resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Alexander Richard Taylor McRae, vice Lieut. E. H. Shewell (Staff Corps), late 23rd Regt. N. L. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Evelyn Gawlor Sturt, vice Lieut. G. E. S. Bell, (Staff Corps), late 2nd Gr. Regt. N. I., resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Edward Robert Reay, vice Lieut. W. Lumsden, 22nd Regt. N. I., retired.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Edward Hemsted (109th Foot), vice Lieut. H. C. Bainbridge (Staff Corps), late 24th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Charles Hay, vice Lieut. H. L. Robinson (Staff Corps), late 20th N. I., retried.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Frederick Augustus Beville, vice Lieut. F. Packe, late 30th Regt. N. I., removed from the Army List.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Simon Sawers Dahnahoy, vice Lieut. H. L. Hall, General List, exchanged from 103rd to 61st Foot.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Algernon Arbuthnot Godwin, vice Lieut. F. Newail, late 30th Regt. N. I. (Capt. in 109th Foot), exchanged to 8th Foot.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut Stanley Carter vice Lieut. C. D. Macleod, late 31st Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Charles Maxwell Ryves, vice Lieut. E. C. Jackson, General List, resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. James Sparrow Mordaunt (109th Foot), vice Lieut. C. H. H. Forbes, 14th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut. Robert William Welsh Greenlaw, vice Lieut. H. C. H. Hastings, 109th Foot, resigned.

General List, Infantry.—Lieut Francis Thomas Ebden, vice Lieut. J. L. Sheppard (Staff Corps), late 4th Regt. N. I., promoted.

General List Infantry.—Lieut. William Edward Simpson, vice Lieut A. Greenland, Gent., transferred to H.M.'s 55th Foot.

Staff Assistant Surgeon W. H. Corbett is brought on the strength of the Medical Staff of Her Majesty's British Forces in this Presidency, from the 6th of May 1864, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

Captain Horace Searle Anderson, 23rd Regt. N. L. I., having applied for admission to the Staff Corps constituted by the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861 is appointed to the Bombay Staff Corps.

GENERAL ORDERS.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Adjt. Genl.'s Office, Poona, 25th May.

The undermentioned Officer has obtained leave of absence:—

Cornet H. Langtry, 3rd Dragoon Guards, from 31st May to 30th June 1864, in extension of privilege leave.

CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

Bombay Castle, 25th May 1864.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Phillips, of the Sawunt Warree Local Corps, has been allowed leave of absence for one month from the 12th instant, to proceed to the Presidency

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for the purpose of appearing before a Special Examination Committee.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm the leave of absence granted by the Honorable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature, Bombay, to Mr. R. West, Registrar of the said Court, for 6 months, to proceed to Europe, under Section XIV. of the Civil Absentee Rules.

Mr. H. M. Birdwood has been confirmed as Under-Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department and Secretary to the Council for making Laws and Regulations from the 29th June 1863, the date of his joining the appointment.

Mr. R. T. Reid, LL.D., Barrister-at-Law, has passed the prescribed examination in the Marathee language.

Assistant Surgeon F. S. Steadman, Surgeon to His Excellency the Governor, has been appointed to act as Private Secretary to His Excellency, in addition to his own duties, during Mr. J. Arthur's absence on leave.

Sir Alexander Grant, Bart., assumed charge of the Office of Director of Public Instruction on the 13th instant.

COMMERCIAL.

BOMBAY DAILY BILL, SHARE, AND STOCK LIST.

EXCHANGE

On what Place.	Terms.	Rates.
London Banks	6 months' sight	2s. 1½d.
Do. Credits	Do. do.	2s. 1 5/16d.
Do. Documents	Do. do.	2s. 1½d.
Calcutta	At sight	99¾
Do.	30 days' sight	98½
Do.	60 Do. do.	97½
Madras	30 Do. do.	98
China	60 Do. do.	221 to 223

SHARES.

Names.	Paid up	Last Half-yearly Dividend	Rates.
BANKS.	Rs.		
Agra Bank	500	5 pr. ct.	200 pr. ct. pm.
Bombay Bank	1,000	8 do.	259 pr. ct. pm.
Bank of India	150	......	92 pr. ct. pm.
Broker's Banking Company	100	......	43 pr. ct. pm.
Central Bank	250	6 do.	115 pr. ct. pm.
Commercial Bank	500	6 do.	160 pr. ct. pm.
Chartered Bank of India, A. & China	200	5 do.	160 pr. ct. pm. [incldg. n. sh.
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China	250	10 do.	238 pr. ct. pm.
Asiatic Bank Corptn.	120		185 pr. ct. pm.
Oriental Bank Corporation	250	8 do.	160 pr. ct. pm.
Madras Bank	1,000	12 do.	150 pr. ct. pm.
Royal Bank of India	175	......	98 pr. ct. pm.
Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris	200	4½ do.	75 pr. ct. pm. [nominal.
Bombay Presidency Bank		......	24 per ct.
East India Bank		......	11 per ct.
PRESS COS.			
Apollo Press Co.	11,000	1,800 per share.	Rs. 24,000 p.sh.
Colaba Press Co.	2,700	300 do.	Rs. 6,000 p.sh.
Fort Press Co.	3,667	575 do.	Rs. 14,000 p.sh.
Hydraulic Press Co.	4,000	350 do.	Rs. 2,300 pm.
Elphinstone Land & Press Company Limited			
One whole Share comprising			Rs. 55,000 pr. share.
1 A Share	6,000	430	
1 B Share	6,000	170	
4 C Shares	6,000	......	
2 Frere Press Co's Shares	1,500		
Victoria Land and Press Co.	4,000	150 do.	Rs. 33,000 pm.
Bombay Press Co.	1,400	......	Rs. 2,500 pm.
Framjee Cowasjee Patent Press Co.	1,500	......	Rs. 3,000 pm.
RAILWAY COS.			
G. I. P. Railway Co.			[nominal.
Consolidated Stock	218-3-0	pr. ct.	Rs. 8 pr. ct. pm.
Do. New £20 shares	130.14.6	2½ do.	Rs. 12 prem.
Bombay, Baroda & C. I. R. Co.	1,000	2½ do.	Rs. 6 pm. nml.
SPINNING & WEAVING COS.			
Bombay Spinning & Weaving Co.	5,000	500 per share.	Rs. 1,200 prem.
Great Eastern Spinning & Weaving Co.	1,100	......	Rs. 300 prem.
Manockjee Pitty's Spinning & Weaving Co.	850	......	Rs. 200 prem.
Oriental Spinning & Weaving Co.	2,500	140 Rs. p. share	Rs. 425 prem.
Royal Spinning and Weaving Co.	1,500	......	Rs. 400 prem.
Victoria Spinning Company	5,000	......	Rs. 3,000 prem.
Coorla Spinning Co.	5,000	7½ per cent.	Rs. 1,500.
Bombay United Spinning & Weaving Company	1,000	10 do.	Rs. 450 prem.
East India Press Co.	200	......	Rs. 209
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Colaba Land Co.	10,000	Rs. 12,000	Rs. 4,800
House and Land Investment Co.	900	......	Rs. 50
Bombay Contract & Building Co.	150	......	Rs. 65 pm.
Bonded Warehouse.	600	......	Par.
Bombay Shipping Company	1,500	......	Rs. 4,000 nol.
Iron Ship Co.	1,000	......	Par.
Oriental Ship Owning Association	750	......	Rs. 400 pm.
Prince of Wales Ship Company	1,000	......	Par.
Union Shipping Co. Limited	1,000	......	Par.
Western India Ship Company	1,000	......	Par.
Bombay Coast and River Steam Navigation Co.	1,500	20 per ct.	Rs. 1,500 pm.
Treacher & Co. (Limited)	250	......	8 pr. ct. pm.
Goa Coffee Co.	250	......	500 prem.
Bombay Gas Co.	50	......	8 pr. ct. no m.
East India Cotton Agency	50	......	Par.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Four Per Cent. Transfer Loan	98
" Loan 1835-36 / " Loan 1842-43 / " Loan 1854-55	97
New Five per Cent. Loan	106
Five-and-a-Half Per Cent. Loan	114

PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

Sovereigns, each	Rs. 10-3-0
Bank of England Notes	" 10
Spanish Dollars	" 210
Carolus	" 290
Mexican Dollars	" 230
German Crowns	" 214¼
Five-Franc Pieces	" 222
Bar Silver	" 105-8
Gold Leaf	" 16-6

PRICES CURRENT (26th May 1864.)

COTTON at Colaba	Per candy.
New Broach and Surat (ready.)	Rs. 575 to 590
New Dhollera, (ready.)	" 585 to 595
New Bhownuggur, (ready.)	" 585 to 595
New Oomravuttee	" 525 to 550
New Dharwar Sawgined	" 640 to 645
New Barsee and Nuggur	" 520 to 525
New Veeravul	" 515 to 530
New Khandeish	" 510 to 515
New Poratchee	" 510 to 515
New Accote	" 560 to 565
New Mangalore	" 515 to 530
New Hinghungaut	" 635 to 640

OPIUM—Malwa, Rs. 1,450.

SEEDS—Linseed, Khandeish...at Rs. 6 2 to 6 4 per cwt
Rapeseed, Guzerat ... " 6 4
Gingelly mixed (Black ... " 32 to 34.
and White) ... " 33 to 34.
Niger ... " 27 to 28 Nominal.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

May	Ships.	Commanders.	From
26	Southampton	Limstrong	London Jan. 14.
	Hugh Lindsay (s)	Shapcott	Kurrachee May 21
	Manchester (s)	McDonald	Surat May 25.
	Maharaj (s)	Thearle	Surat May 25.
	Telegraph (s)	Winckler	Demaun May 25.
	Keratarudeen	Nacoda	Colombo May 7.
	Hugh Rose (s)	White	Dwarka May 24.
	Pioneer (s)	Woolley	Surat May 25.

DEPARTURES.

May	Ships.	Commanders.	To
26	Elphinstone (s)	Athey	Surat.
	Euphrates (s)	Day	Malabar Coast.
	John Stuart	Lemon	Hongkong.
	Arrarat	Morenn	Penang & Singapore
	Coringa (s)	Atkinson	Kurrachee.
	Victoria (s)	Nacoda	Surat.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per B. C. & S. N. Co.'s Steamer *Maharaj*, from Surat.—Captain Kerr.

PASSENGERS SAILED.

Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer *Coringa*, to Kurrachee.—Mr. Gordon; Mr. Rawlinson; Mr. Potter; Captain Barnes; 2 Non-Commissioned rank and file; 1 Non-Commissioned rank and file of 95th Regiment; 2 Non-Commissioned rank and file and 3 Non-Commissioned rank and file belonging to 23rd Regiment.

Per B. I. S. N. Co.'s Steamer *Euphrates*, to Malabar Coast.—Mr. Hayden; Mr. Scott; and Captain Stead.

The following vessels obtained their port clearances yesterday:—
Ship *Bulwark*, J. Bainmantyne, bound to Liverpool.
Barque *Splendido*, C. Vicovich, bound to Calcutta.

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Steamer *Manchester*, for Surat.
Ship *Cambay*, for Liverpool.
Steamer *Maharaj*, for Surat.
Steamer *Comorin*, for Kurrachee.

FREIGHTS.

Liverpool	Cotton (Going Ships)	£2 7s. 6d. to £2 15s. 0d. p. ton
	Ready Ships	£1 10s. 0d. to £1 15s. 0d. "
	Seeds	£0 15s. 6d. to £1 0s. 0d. "
London	Cotton	£2 5s. 0d. to £2 12s. 6d. "
	Seeds	£1 15s. 0d. Nominal.
	Cases	£2 10s. 0d. to £2 15s. 0d. "
	Ivory	£3 5s. 0d. to £3 10s. 0d. "
To Clyde / To Hull / To China		Nothing doing.
To Calcutta and back		Rs. 15 to 16 and port charges.

VESSELS IN BOMBAY HARBOUR.
[c. l. signifies "commenced loading."]

FOR LONDON.
950 Octavia, Bristow—W. Nicol & Co.
687 Winterthur, Seward—A. H. Huschke & Co.

FOR LIVERPOOL.
1466 Advance, Wyles—Stenhouse & Co. (c. l. Mar. 17)
680 Agincourt—Lyon Brothers & Co. (c. l. May 19)
1261 Alsagar, Piterson—Martin, Young & Co. (c. l. May 17)
861 Ambrose, Daniell—J. Sigg & Co. (c. l. May 7)
964 Ann Buckle, Lyle—Ashburner, Bell & Co.
1197 Aracans, Hatfield—Dady & Sorabjee. (c. l. April 21)
1096 Arran, Martin—Macnee & Co.
1249 Arundel—Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
1180 Belle Isle, Webster—Ritchie, Steuart & Co. (c. l. May 23)
1547 Black Eagle, Basset—John Clover & Co.
931 Bombay, Sellars—Framjee, Sands & Co. (c. l. Mar. 10)
1346 Bosphorus, Anderson—W. Nicol & Co. (c. l. Mar. 11)
1414 British Empire, Jones—Mungesh Pandoorung.
750 Cambay, Jackson—Finlay Scott & Co. (c. l. May 26)
1132 Caroline, Atheridge—Martin, Young & Co.
1250 Castilian, Welburn—W. Nicol & Co.
1549 Clasmerdon, Gibson—J. Clover & Co.
1066 Egeria, Peel—W. Nicol & Co. (c. l. April 7)
849 Etna, Hughes—J. Clover & Co.
1342 Fanny Forsyth, Cooper—Bates & Co. (c. l. March 28)
1194 Floating Light—J. P. Cornforth & Co. (c. l. May 7)
1250 Feronia, Hutchinson—J. P. Cornforth & Co.
849 Forest Queen, Roy—E. Bates & Co.
1069 Forganhall, Wood—J. P. Cornforth & Co.
1454 Golden Dream, Brown—Lawrence & Co. (discharging.)
1241 Gloucestershire, Tomlinson—Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
1660 Great Australia,—Lawrence & Co. (c. l. May 19)
394 Harold,—Framjee Sands & Co.
1124 Havelock, Gandy—Rennie, Scovell & Co.
1562 Harmonides,—Dady and Sorabjee. (c. l. May 12)
1117 Henry Moore,—Rennie, Scovell & Co. (c. l. May 3)
1172 Illustrious, Watson—Stenhouse & Co. (c. l. May 13)
893 J. Cursetjee, Foster—E. Bates & Co. (c. l. Mar. 5)
1707 King of Algeria, Murphy—W. Nicol & Co. (c. l. Apr. 6)
1363 King of Italy, Browne—Campbell, Mitchell & Co.
900 Lepanto, Martin—Dirom, Hunter & Co.
1194 Mataura, Steward—The Captain. (c. l. May 23)
1240 Mistress of the Seas, Orkney—Rennie, Scovell & Co.
776 Matheran, Allen—J. W. Wright & Co.
833 Nydia, Pearson—Cardwell, Parsons & Co.
110 North East, Boyd—M. N. Bhownuggree. (c. l. May 2)
990 Owen Glendower,—Macnee & Co. (c. l. April 25)
1328 Princess Alexandra—J. Clover & Co. (c. l. April 4)
227 Queen of the Mersey—Ewart, Latham & Co. (c. l. May 12)
939 Sattara, Killick, Nixon & Co. (c. l. May 18)
1161 Simoom, Murphy—Ashburner, Bell & Co. (c. l. Apr 12)
1161 Sir Charles Napier, Bell—E. Bates & Co. (c. l. May 2)
1071 Sea King—P. of Wales S. Co., Limited. (c. l. May 19)
1075 Statelie, Campbell—Coupland & Co. (c. l. April 28)
1227 Strongbow, Crombie—B. Shipping & Co. (c. l. May 23)
1101 Shannon, Dunbar—W. Nicol & Co.
1432 Tim Whiffler, Cotter—J. Clover & Co. (c. l. April 7)
1193 Thunderbolt, Wetherell—O. S. O. Co. (c. l. May 23)
1349 Uncas, Geal—Dirom, Hunter & Co. (c. l. Jan. 24)
1250 Victoria Cross, Leask—Coupland & Co.
1012 Vicksburg, Scott.
599 Wabeno, Fillan—Finlay Clark & Co.

FOR HAVRE.
665 Gertrude—Macindoe, Rogers & Co.
531 Hurkaru, Helps—Rennie, Scovell & Co.
1326 Swiftsure, Mayhew—Wallace & Co.

ST. THOMAS FOR ORDERS.
722 Sultana, Williams—Lyon Brothers & Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.
959 Avabhoy, Marr—John Clover & Co. (c. l. March 13.)
Nada (s) Mathies.
Tynemouth (s) Hellyer—Stearns, Hobart & Co.

FOR MADRAS.
1445 James Seddon, Jeffries—W. A. Graham & Co.

FOR MOULMAIN.
461 Harvest Home (A), Vicks.

FOR BATAVIA.
560 Almonde, Sims—Volkart Brothers.

FOR NEW YORK.
781 Martaban, Hepburn—W. Nicol & Co.

FOR SINGAPORE.
649 Euphemus, Profumo.

FOR KURRACHEE.
811 Northumberland, Miller.

NOT FIXED.
775 Adelaide, Richardson—Wallace & Co.
Alligator, Nacoda.
Atiet Rahemon, Jones.
952 Admiral, Smith—Lawrence & Co.
1931 Annie, Barker.
175 Anne Royden, Affleck—Lyon Brothers & Co.
364 Ann Jenkins, Barker.
368 Atalanta, Lostos.
679 Asteroid, Gardener.
1599 Assaye, Thomas—B. H. Cama.
1035 Bavelaw, Hughes—John Clover & Co.
1403 Birmingham—B. H. Cama & Co.
1081 Clifton Belle, Bird—Coupland & Co.
1209 Challenge, Lord—W. Nicol & Co.
1069 Culloden, Slater—W. Nicol & Co.
769 Daphne, Foreman—Grey & Co.
1143 Ellen Smart, Lyons—J. W. Wright & Co.
1047 Earl of Dalhousie—A. H. Huschke & Co.
810 Eloisa, Philpott—B. H. Cama.
364 Fatul Currim—H. M. Sedick.
994 Fleur de Lis, Taylor—Remington & Co.
624 Fort William, Castle.
848 Gertrude, Spedding—Grey & Co.
750 Glendower, Hughes—B. H. Cama.
1197 Hannibal, Richardson—W. Nicol & Co.
1353 Herefordshire, Walker—Ewart Latham & Co.
1197 Herald, McGarth—Lawrence & Co.
1319 Indus, Hicks, P. & O. Co.
646 Jessie Coffin, Caffin—Coupland & Co.
364 Marie Leonie—Joseph.
1069 Maldon, Scott.
776 Monarchy, Day—Mahomed.
521 Morning Star, Taverner—Dossa Cirpall & Co.
517 Ningpo, Miners.
1062 Ontario Vellacott—Ewart, Latham & Co. (In dock)
606 Pearl, Browne—H. M. Sedick.
Pride of the Occan, Anderson—B. H. Cama.
794 Robert Small, Darke—Forbes & Co.
296 Rory O'Moore, Leach—C. & Manockjee. (For sale)
1009 Sebastian Cabot, Steele—Ewart, Latham & Co.
1533 South Carolina, Shapcott—Coupland & Co.
265 Sturdy (s)—Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
980 Southampton, Linstrong—Macnee & Co.
1169 Sparkler, McLoughton.
1614 Sedberg, Robert—M. Pandoorung.
370 Southern Cross, Milman.
1160 Southern Belle, Danneston,—W. Nicol & Co.
Sydenham, Harding.
440 Spitfire, Mills.
Thule (s)
1294 Tweed—Leckie & Co.
595 Yarra, Teasdale—Ewart, Latham & Co.

SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD & Co., 3, Marine Street, Bombay.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

On MONDAY, the 30th instant, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms—
13 Bales damaged Grey Shirtings.
800 Pieces Grey Shirtings.
1000 " " Jacconets.
800 " " Madapollams.
300 " " Domestics.
A few Bales Twist.
26 Cases Soap, each 50 dozen.
60 Gross Pencils.
200 Dozen Brandy.
100 " Gin.
50 Boxes Candles.
A few Cases Ladies superior Boots and Shoes.

On account and at the risk of the first purchaser Chatoorbhooj Jairam, by order of Messrs. Bhicoo Saaba & Co.
B S & Co / C J / T W } 2 Cases Hosiery ex Ship *Sebastian Cabot.*

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

A few very superior Waterproof Coats. Rs. 15 each.

PATENT FUSE.

A supply of patent Safety Fuse for Blasting, the same as used in the Bhore and Thull Ghauts. To be sold in lots of not less than one Cask, at three annas and one pie per Coil.

DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co., No. 10, Forbes Street.

AUCTION SALE OF SHOP FURNITURE, GLASS, CROCKERY &c. IN No. 8, MEDOW STREET, FORT.

On MONDAY the 30th instant, Messrs DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co. will sell by Public Auction in No 8, Medow Street, all the Glass, Crockery of a Merchant who is going to break up his old Establishment, the same comprises moulded Quart and Pint Decanters, Glass Hook Bottles, plated ware, Hanging Argand Lamps, China Work Boxes and Tea Caddies, Dressing Cases, Cheroot Boxes, China Silk Shawls and Scarfs, Silk Handkerchiefs, Silver Card Cases, Brooches, Needle Holders, Head Ornaments, Glass Door Cupboards, Cases Jewellery, and several Miscellaneous Articles.

No Catalogues, and the property is now on view.

SALE OF GUNNIES.

Also on SATURDAY the 28th instant at 4 P.M. Messrs. DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co. will sell by Public Auction at Carnac Bunder No. 12, Grain Ware House, by order of Chapsee Nagsey, and on account and risk of Luckoo Tazepall—26 Bales of Gunnies.

AUCTION SALE OF ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, A HANDSOME LANDAU CARRIAGE, SHIGRAM, HORSES, &c., AT PARELL ROAD, ADJOINING THE GREAT EASTERN SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY.

On SATURDAY the 4th proximo, Messrs. DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co. have received instructions to submit to Public Auction at his residence, Parell Road, next to the G. E. S. and W. Company, the valuable and Elegant Household Furniture, Carriages, Horses, Shigram, &c., the property of W. L. HUDSON, Esq., (proceeded to Europe), the same comprises a set of rich Cut Glass Ware for 18 persons, an elegant Blue and Gold Davenport Stone China Dinner and Tea Set, a richly Gilt Maroon and Gold Dessert Set for 18 persons, best Sheffield Treble-plated "Melon pattern' Dish Covers 4 in number, Pairs of Round Hot Water Curry Dishes, Cruet, Egg, and Pickle Frames, Round 14 and 8 inch Salvers, Salt Cellars, Toast Racks, Piano and Chamber Candlesticks, a Set of best "Abercorn" Tea and Coffee Service, containing 4 pieces, a Mahogany Box of 18 Plated "King's pattern" Fish Knives and Forks with Carvers, a Rosewood Box of 18 Plated Dessert Knives and Forks with mother-o'-pearl handles, a Set of best "Rosette pattern" Spoons and Forks for 18 persons, an Epergne with 4 Branches with Cut Glass Dishes, or for Candles, Claret, Jug, &c., best Ivory-handled Table Cutlery for 18 persons, and the Furniture all well-seasoned Blackwood, such as Dining Table, Side Board, Partition Screens, Hanging, Argand, and German Silver Reading Lamps, Dining and Drawing Room Chairs, elegantly Carved, Circular, Pier, and Card Tables, Chiffoniers, Easy, Predieu, and other Chairs, Conversation, Cleopatra and Reclining Couches, Round Tea Poys, one fine full-toned Mahogany Square Pianoforte, by G. H. Schroder with Cover, Whatnot, Ornaments, one fine light Glass Chandelier with Cut Drops, a handsome 15-Day Correct-going Clock with Black Marble Stand and Bronze Figure, handsome Brass Bedsteads, painted Iron Child's Cot, Wardrobes, Clothes and Gown Presses, handsome Dressing and Wash-hand Tables with Rich Crockery, Toilet Glasses on Marble Stands, Chests of Drawers, Copper Cooking Utensils and Dispense Articles, &c.

AT 1 P. M.

One handsome Landau Carriage with Mail patent Axles, painted blue, picked out black, fine lined orange, lined with superfine Blue Cloth and Morocco Leather, Silk Lace to match, Blue Silk, Curtains, Portable Waterproof Covers for Coachman's Cushions, Enamelled Leather Apron lined with Macintosh Silver Mountings and full mounted Silver Lamps to match.
A light nearly new Palanquin Office Shigram with Lamps, Pole, and Shaft complete.
A set of rich plated mounted Carriage Harness, (plated on German Silver.)
A set of Brass mounted Shigram Harness.
A handsome Grey Arab Horse, 5 years old, 14-2 hands height, (sound and free from vice.)
A Dog Cart.
A light Phaeton, by "Erswell."
A Grey Arab Horse "Feramoz."
Side, and Hunting Saddles, and Bridles, a Child's Perambulator, a quantity of Stable Gear, &c. &c.
Catalogues of full particulars will be published and the property will be on view four days previous to the day of Sale.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

A quantity of best English-bottled Pale Ale.
1 Silver Hunting Watch by "J. Cragg" in Morocco Case.
1 Do. Open faced do. "
Silver Hunting Watches by "Jones."
One Gold do. do. by "James McCabe,"
30 Dozen Quarts and Pints of Jacquesson and Fils Champagne.
Few Sets of best Plated Carriage and Buggy Harness (Plated on German Silver.)
30 Pieces of White Horrockses, Miller & Co., Long Cloth, marked M H.

DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co.
Bombay, 27th May 1864.

THE BANK OF HINDUSTAN, CHINA AND JAPAN, (LIMITED.)—CAPITAL TWO MILLION STERLING, IN 20,000 SHARES OF £100 EACH.
Head Office—16, *Cornhill, London.*

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Bankers.
LONDON ... The Bank of England.
Do. ... The Alliance Bank of London & Liverpool, (Limited.)
LIVERPOOL ... Do. do.
MANCHESTER ... Do. do.
SCOTLAND ... The National Bank of Scotland.
IRELAND ... The National Bank.

The Bank grants drafts on London, Liverpool, or Manchester, at the following rates of Exchange:—
Six months' sight ... 2s. 1½d. per Rupee.
Three " " ... 2s. 0⅞d. do.
Two " " ... 2s. 0¾d. do.
One " " ... 2s. 0½d. do.
On demand on Bank of England. 2s. 0¼d. do.
Circular Notes payable in Egypt and the principal towns on the Continent of Europe ... 2s. 0d. do.

Drafts on *the Bank of England*, on *Scotland* or *Ireland* are issued payable *on demand* only.

To prevent disappointment to persons at a distance who may purchase the Bank's Bills on Europe, the Manager will, whenever so desired, forward the first of exchange direct on being furnished with the address of the person to whom the Bill is to be sent. *In all instances where a Bill is required in favor of a lady, her Christian name must be given in full.*

The Bank will negociate Bills payable in London, Liverpool or Manchester, and will also purchase or grant drafts payable in Calcutta, Hong Kong or Shanghai.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on balance exceeding Rs. 500 and not more than 50,000, and one per cent. per annum on balances exceeding Rs. 300 and not more than Rs. 500.

Interest is not allowed on balances of more than Rs. 50,000 except by special arrangement.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Subject to 12 months' notice of withdrawal	6 per ct. per an.		
do. 9	do.	do.	5½ do do.
do. 6	do.	do.	5 do. do.
do. 4	do.	do.	4½ do. do.
do. 3	do.	do	4 do. do.

Notice of withdrawal may be given either when the money is deposited or at any future time. If the deposit be taken in the Bank's draft on Europe, the notice of withdrawal will generally be dispensed with.

The Bank reserves to itself the right of paying off or of modifying the terms of Fixed Deposits, on giving one month's notice.

Depositis of Rs. 100, nnd not exceeding Rs. 50,000, are received by the Bank subject to 15 days' notice of withdrawal on either side, and interest allowed thereon at 2 per cent below the Bank of Bombay minimum rate of discount, rising or falling therewith, but in no case will a higher rate than 5 per cent. be allowed on Deposits of this class.

Unless money shall have been lodged 15 days prior to the notice of withdrawal, no interest will be allowed.

Government Paper and other Securities received for safe custody, and the interest remitted by the Bank's draft, free of charge.

The Bank will procure enfacement of Government Paper on account of Constituents and forward the same to the Head Office without charge.

It is particularly requested that all orders or Hoondees may be made payable to, and all communications addressed "*The Manager, Bank of Hindustan, (Limited,) Bombay,*"

W. F. WESCHE, Acting Manager.
Bombay, 11th April 1864.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.—Paid-up Capital—£644,000
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.
London Bankers. { The Bank of England. / The City Bank.
Branches and Agencies.
Bombay, Kurrachee, Calcutta, Rangoon, Singapore, Batavia, Hongkong, and Shanghai.

BOMBAY AGENCY.
EXCHANGE.

The Bank's Agency in Bombay grants Bill's of Exchange on THE CITY BANK, London, at the following rates, viz:—
6 months' sight (not under £50) at 2s. 1½d. per Rupee
4 Do. ... at 2s. 1d. "
3 Do. ... at 2s. 0⅞d. "
2 Do. ... at 2s. 0¾d. "
1 Do. ... at 2s. 0⅝d. "
On Demand (Head Office) ... at 2s. 0¼d. "

DEPOSITS.

Interest is allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at 2 per cent. per annum, on the daily balance, and on Fixed Deposits, as follows:—
Repayable in one sum, at 3 months' notice, 3 per cent.
Do. 6 do. 5 "
Do. 12 do. 6 "

No Interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000, nor on Deposits above Rs. 50,000, unless by special arrangement.

REMITTANCE.

The Bank's Agency realizes Drafts or Hoondies on the Presidency for remittance to Europe in the Bank's Bills on London without charge.

All Drafts, or Hoondies, forwarded for realization, to be made payable to the "Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, or order."

When a remittance is to be made to a lady, her Christian name must be given.

COMMISSION.

On the sale or purchase of Government Paper, Bank Stock and other Securities, ½ per cent.

The Bank receives Government and other Securities for safe custody, free of charge, the Interest or Dividends thereon being credited to account, or remitted home in the Bank's Bills.

On Interest or Dividends, or proceeds of Securities by sale ½ per cent. commission charged, if the amounts be paid in India; if remitted home by the Bank, no charge.

On delivering up Securities, deposited for safe custody, ½ per cent.

Office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

J. L. BRODIE, Agent.
Bombay, 16th November 1863.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA.
EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants Drafts on London, Scotland, and Ireland, Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt, Syria, and the principal Towns of Europe, at the following current rates of Exchange:—
On London, at 6 ms' sight above £50 2s. 0⅞d. per Rupee.
" 4 do. ... 2s. 0½d. "
" 3 do. ... 2s. 0¼d. "
" 2 do. ... 2s. "
" 1 do. ... 1s. 11⅞d. "
" On demand ... 1s. 11⅝d. "
On Scotland do. / On Ireland do. } 1s. 11½d. "
Circular Notes for the use of Travellers on the Continent and to Europe Overland at 1 day's sight } 1s. 11½d. "

The Bank purchases Bills and grants Drafts payable in Calcutta, Madras, Ceylon, Hongkong, Shanghai, Singapore, Penang, Mauritius, Yokohama, and Tuticorin.

The Bank also draws on the Branches of the Bank of New South Wales.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Floating Deposits payable on demand if not less than Rs. 1,000, or above Rs. 50,000 at 2 per cent. per annum.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

Deposits for 3 months or longer 6 per cent. per annum.

Fixed Deposits may generally be availed of for the Bank Bills on London at advertised rates, without notice.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies, without charge, and realizes interests and Dividends thereon on the following terms:—
to be remitted in Bank's Drafts, without charge.
If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of a ¼ per cent.

On returning Government Paper, or Share Certificates out of safe custody, or when sold on paying the proceeds of such sale in India, a commission will be charged of ¼ per cent. But if proceeds are remitted on the Bank's Drafts without charge.

Commission charged on purchase and sale of Government Securities.

All letters should be addressed and all Hoondees made payable to the Agent, Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China. H. J. MARSDEN, Agent.
Bombay, 26th May 1864.

CENTRAL BANK OF WESTERN INDIA.—HEAD OFFICE, BOMBAY. CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING. PAID-UP CAPITAL SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND. RESERVE ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.

OFFICES IN INDIA.
Calcutta, Madras, Sholapore, Surat, Ahmedabad, and Indore.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Accounts above Rs. 1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 50,000, repayable on demand, at 2 per cent. per annum.
On Deposits for 3 months certain 3 per cent. per annum
Do. " 6 " " 5 " "
Do. " 12 " " 6 " "

EXCHANGE.

Bills on London,	at 6 months' sight	2s. 1½d.	per Rupee.	
Do.	at 4	do.	2s. 1d.	do.
Do.	at 3	do.	2s. 0⅞d.	do.
Do.	at 2	do.	2s. 0½d.	do.
Do.	at 1	do.	2s. 0¼d.	do.
Do.	on Demand	do.	2s. 0⅛d.	do.
Scotland and Ireland.		do.	2s. 0d.	do.

Drafts at 6 months' sight are not granted for less than £5 and amounts under £20 are only drawn for payable on demand.

COMMISSION.

On the sale or purchase of Government and other Securities 5 per cent. on the amount realised or invested.

The Bank receives Government and other Securities for safe custody, free of charge, the Interest or Dividends thereof being credited to account or remitted home in the Bank's Bills also without charge.

On Interest or Dividends, or on proceeds of Securities by Sale, ¼ per cent. commission charged, if the amounts be paid in India; if remitted home by the Bank, no commission charged.

On returning Securities out of safe custody ¼ per cent. Commission.

Hours of business 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.; Saturdays 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

EDWIN HEYCOCK, Manager.
Bombay, 18th May 1864.

THE AGRA AND UNITED SERVICE BANK, (LIMITED.)—*Incorporated by Royal Charter.*—ESTABLISHED IN INDIA, 1833.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £2,000,000 (TWO MILLIONS STERLING.)
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,000,000 (ONE MILLION STERLING.)
RESERVED FUND, £2,25,000—(Rs. 22,50,000.)
Head Office ... LONDON. | Branch Office ... EDINBURGH.
BRANCHES IN INDIA—CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, MADRAS, AGRA, LAHORE, AND KURRACHEE.—BRANCHES IN CHINA—SHANGHAI, HONG-KONG.—BRANCH IN NEW SOUTH WALES—SYDNEY.

The Bombay Manager grants drafts on London, also Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt and the Continent of Europe.

The following are the current rates of Exchange:—
On London at 6 months' sight ... 2s. 1d. per Rupee.
" 4 do. ... 2s. 0¾d. do.
" 3 do. ... 2s. 0½d. do.
" 2 do. ... 2s. 0¼d. do.
" 1 do. ... 2s. 0⅛d. do.
" On Demand ... 2s. 0d. do.
Circular Notes ... 1s. 11⅞d. do.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

1. On Floating, or Current Deposits, payable on demand of not less than Rs. 1,000 or more than Rs. 50,000, 2 per cent. per annum.
2. On Fixed Deposits at 3 months' notice, 3 per cent. per annum.
3. On Fixed Deposits at 6 months' notice, 4 per cent. per annum.
4. On Fixed Deposits at 12 months' notice, 5 per cent. per annum.

Fixed Deposits may generally be availed of for the Bank's Bills on London without notice.

The notice of withdrawal can be given at the time of depositing the money, or at any time thereafter.

Interest is credited to Deposit accounts half-yearly.

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000 or over Rs. 50,000, unless by special agreement.

The Funds of all public bodies connected with the Services and of such other Societies as the Directors may consider eligible for the same privilege, will be received by the Bank at its highest rate of interest for the time being, subject to modified conditions.

The Bank reserves to itself the right of paying off all interest Deposits, and of modifying the terms thereof, on giving one month's notice.

Parties making remittances to the Bank should specify distinctly the Account or Accounts to which the same are to be credited.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies without charge and realizes the Interests and Dividends, for which a charge will be made of ¼ per cent.

On returning Government Paper or other Securities out of safe custody, a charge will be made of ¼ per cent.

On the purchase or sale of Government Securities and Bank or other Stock, ¼ per cent.

REMITTANCE.

The Bank realizes Drafts or Hoondies payable in the Presidency for remittance to Europe in the Bank's Bills on London.

To obviate disappointment to parties at a distance, it is hereby notified that the Bank will, whenever so requested, transmit the first of Exchange direct, on being furnished with the correct address of the party at Home to whom the remittance is to be sent, if to a lady, her Christian name or names should be given in full.

Parties are requested to address "*The Manager of the Agra and United Service Bank, (Limited), Bombay,*" and to make all Orders or Hoondies payable to him.

Hours of business from 10 to 3.
Saturdays ... 10 to 1.

E. A. FLINDERS, Manager.
Bombay, 19th April 1864.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.—*Incorporated by National Decrees of 7th and 8th March 1848 and by Imperial Decree of 20th July 1854.* PAID-UP CAPITAL.—Francs 40,000,000 (£1,600,000,) RESERVE FUND.—Francs 9,292,565 (£371,702.)
Head Office.—14, *Rue Bergere Paris.* Agencies at Bombay Calcutta, Hongkong, Shanghai, Bourbon (Reunion), and Saigon.

London Bankers.
UNION BANK OF LONDON; GENERAL CREDIT AND FINANCE CO. OF LONDON, (Limited); and MESSRS C. J. HAMBRO AND SON.

BOMBAY AGENCY.
Offices—No. 9, Rampart Row.

This Agency grants Drafts and Letters of Credit and purchases or collects Bills on the abovementioned places, as also on the principal Towns of Continental Europe, on Madras, Pondichery, Kurrachee, Ceylon, Mauritius, Singapore, Sydney and Melbourne.

EXCHANGE.

Drafts granted as follows:
On London 6 months' sight ... 2s. 0¾d. per Rupee
3 Do. Do. ... 2s. 0⅜d. "
Sight ... 1s. 11⅞d. "
On France 6 months' sight ... frs. 2-62 cts.
3 Do. Do. ... " 2-56 "
Sight ... " 2-50 "

DEPOSITS.

Interest at 2 per cent. per annum allowed on Current Deposits; payable on demand, of not less than Rs. 1000, nor more than Rs. 50,000.
On fixed Deposits at,
3 months' notice 3 per Cent. per annum.
6 Ditto 4 do.
12 Ditto 5 do.

DISCOUNTS, LOANS, &c.

The Agency discounts approved Local Bills, grants Loans on Government Paper, Bullion, Bank Stock, and approved Shares and other Securities.

Any further information as to rates of business, &c., may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the undersigned, to whom all remittances should be made payable.

T. R. R. DAVISON, Acting Manager.
Bombay, 33rd May 1863.

THE SCINDE, PUNJAUB, AND DELHI BANK CORPORATION, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL—ONE MILLION STERLING.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £750,000.

HEAD OFFICE, 80, KING WILLIAM STREET, LONDON, E.C.

Branches in India.—Bombay, Kurrachee, Lahore, and Umritsur, (others in course of being opened.)

The Bank grants Drafts on London, Scotland and Ireland, at the following rates of Exchange:—
On London ... at 6 months' sight 2s. 1 3/8d.
" 4 " 2s. 1d.
" 3 " 2s. ⅞d.
" 2 " 2s. ½d.
" 1 " 2s. ¼d.
" on Demand 2s.
On Scotland and Ireland on Demand 1s. 11⅞d.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Floating Deposits payable on Demand, if not less than Rs. 1,000, 2 per cent. per annum.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

Deposits at 3 months' notice 3 per cent. per anm.
6 " 4 " "
12 " 6 " "

Fixed Deposits may generally be availed of for the Banks Bills on London without notice.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies without charge, and realizes Interest and Dividends thereon on the following terms:—

If to be remitted in the Bank's Draft without charge.

If to be paid in India a commission will be charged of ¼ per cent.

On delivering up Securities deposited for safe custody a charge of ¼ per cent. will be made.

On the sale or purchase of Government or other Securities ¼ per cent.

Any further information as to rules of business may be obtained on application at the office, or by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Saturdays 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.

A. MACKINTOSH, Manager.
1, Nesbit Lane, Bombay, 25th April 1864.

BANK OF INDIA.—INCORPORATED WITH UNLIMITED LIABILITY UNDER ACT No. XIX. OF 1857, OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF INDIA.—CAPITAL SIXTY LACS OF RUPEES, IN 40,000 SHARES OF RS. 150 EACH, WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

HEAD OFFICE, BOMBAY.

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LONDON BANKERS.
The London Joint Stock Bank.

EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants Drafts on London at the following rates:—
At 6 months' sight ... 2s. 1d. per Rupee.
4 do. ... 2s. 0⅞d. do.
3 do. ... 2s. 0½d. do.
2 do. ... 2s. 0¼d. do.
1 do. ... 2s. 0⅛d. do.
On demand ... 2s. 0d. do.

DEPOSITS.

Interest will be allowed as follows:—
On Current Accounts ... 2 per cent.
" Deposits for 3 months certain ... 3 "
" 6 " ... 5 "
" 12 " ... 6 "

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000 or over Rs. 50,000, unless by special agreement.

ADVANCES.

The Bank grants Loans against Government Securities, &c., and discounts Government and approved Private Bills and Hoondies.

COMMISSION.

On the purchase or sale of Government Securities, Bank or other Shares, ¼ per cent.

Government or other Securities received for safe custody, and Interest or Dividends thereon drawn, free of charge.

On returning Securities out of safe custody, ¼ per cent.

Orders and Hoondies should be made payable, and all letters addressed, "To the Manager Bank of India."

Any information as to rules of business may be had on application at the Bank, or by letter to the Manager.

JOHN GRAY, Manager.
Bombay, 25th May 1864.

THE ROYAL BANK OF INDIA.—*Incorporated, with unlimited liability under the Act of the Legislative Council of India No. XIX. of 1857.*—CAPITAL SIXTY LAKHS OF RUPEES IN 30,0000 SHARES OF RS. 200 EACH, WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

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DINSHAW MANOCKJEE, Esq.

Auditors.
RICHARD LATHAM, Esq.; JAMES BEVIS, Esq.

London Bankers.
THE LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

EXCHANGE.

Bills on London at 6 months' sight at 2s. 1½d. per Rupee
4 do. 2s. 1⅛d. "
3 do. 2s. 0⅞d. "
2 do. 2s. 0⅝d. "
1 do. 2s. 0⅜d. "
On demand do. 2s. 0⅛d. "

Drafts at 6 months' sight are not granted for less than £50, and amounts under £20 are only drawn for payable on demand.

The Bank purchases Bills and grants Drafts payable in Calcutta, Ahmedabad and Surat.

All Treasury Drafts, Hoondies, and other orders for realization to be endorsed "Pay to the Royal Bank of India or order."

CURRENT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on balances not exceeding one lac, or at 3 per cent. per annum if interest is paid on the lowest balance at credit of the account for each month; in the latter case interest will be allowed on any sum not exceeding two lacs.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Subject to 1 month's notice 3 per cent. per annum.
Do. 3 do. 4 do. do.
Do. 6 do. 5 do. do.
Do. 12 do. 6 do. do.

Any information as to rules of business may be had on application at the Bank, or by letter to the Manager.

J. GORDON, Manager.
Bombay, 2nd April 1864.

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Bombay Gazette, 21st December 1863.

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